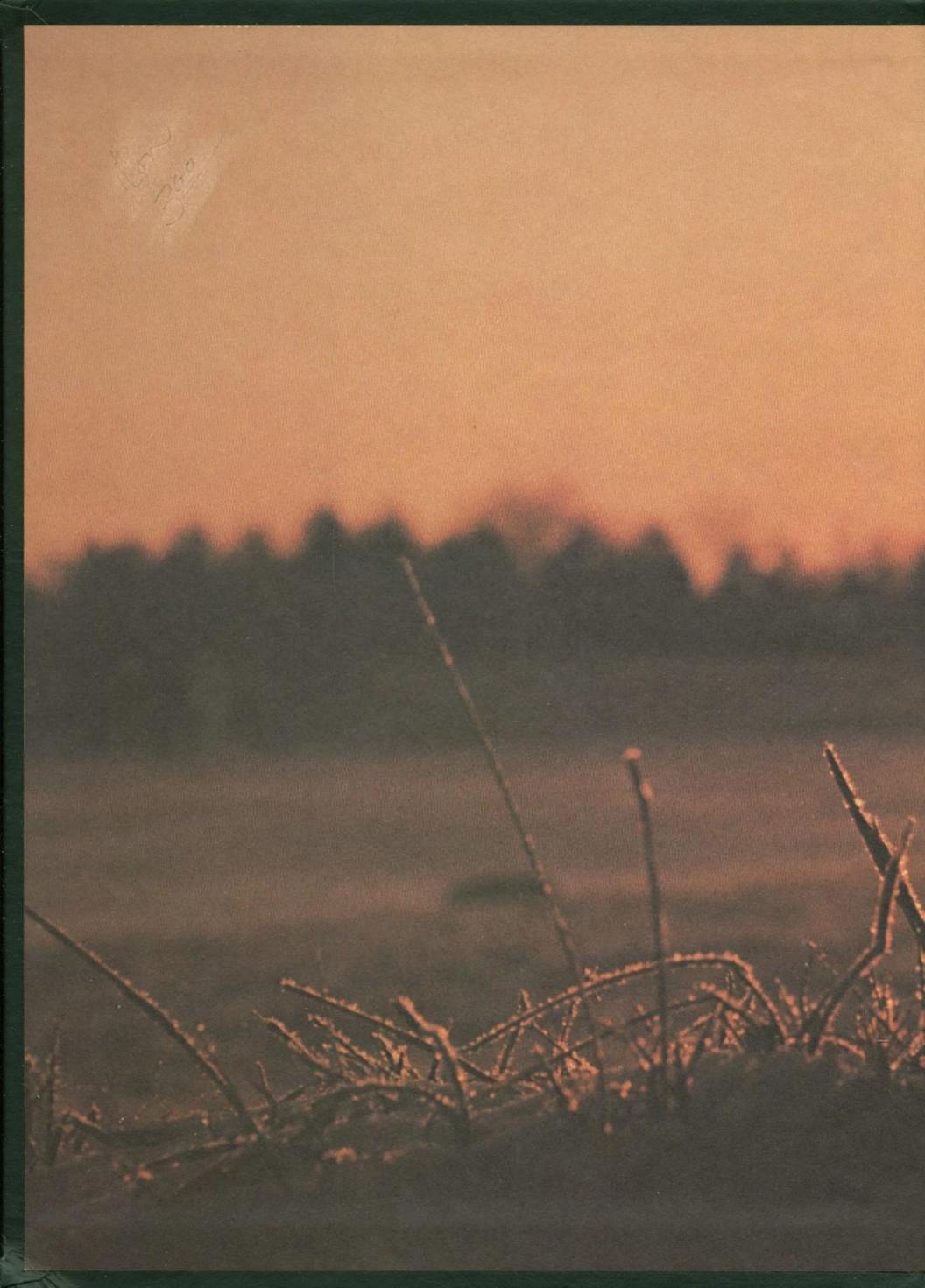
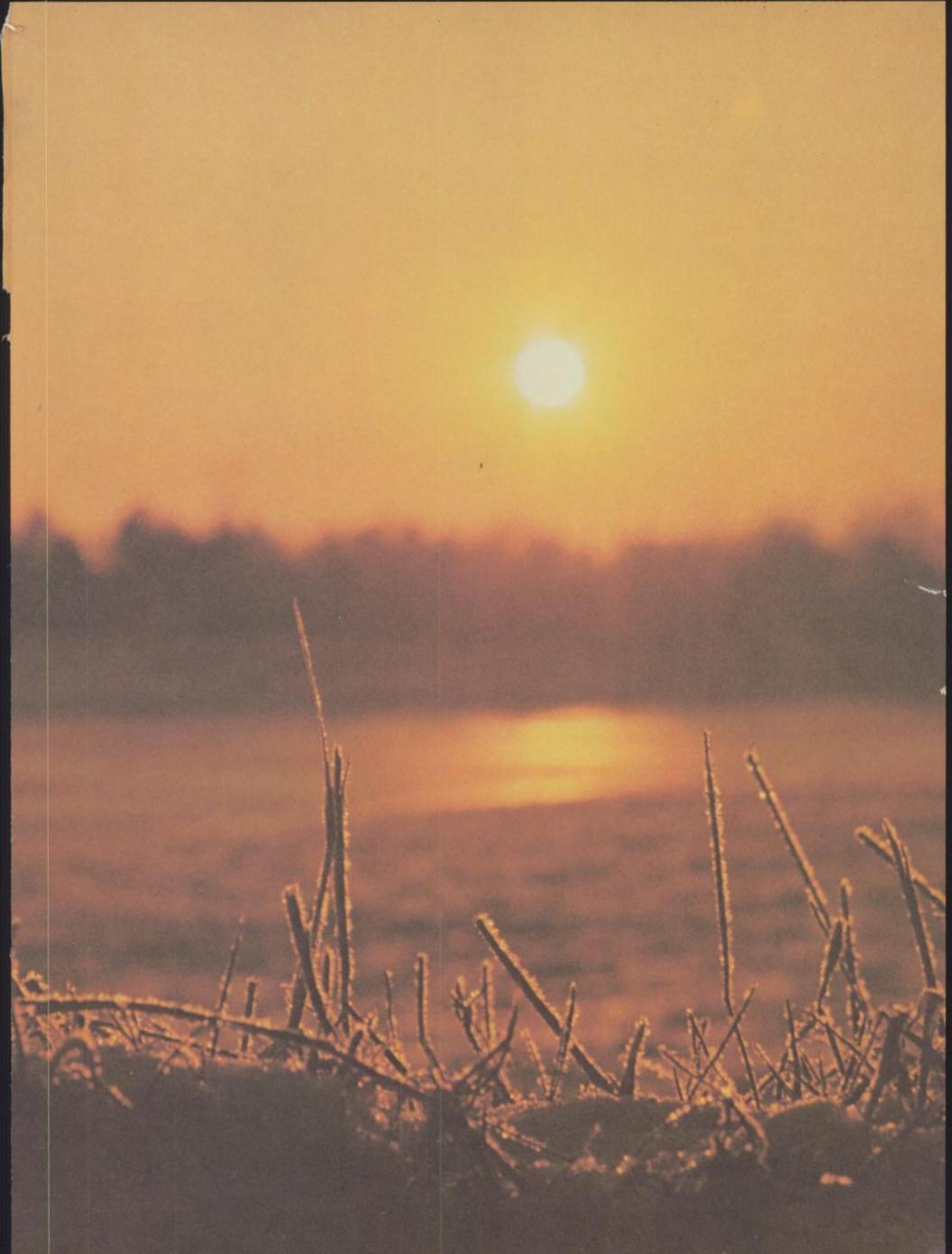
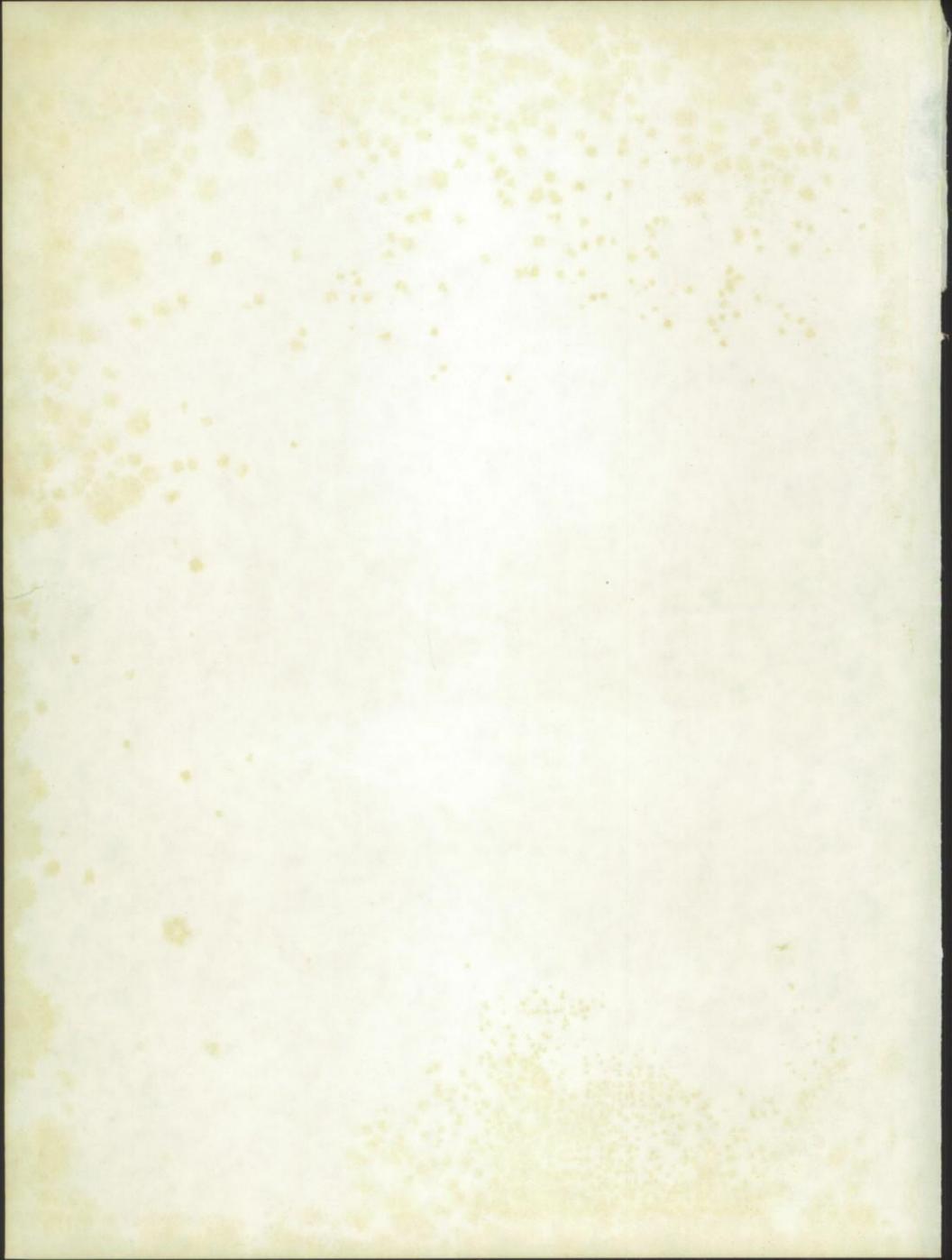
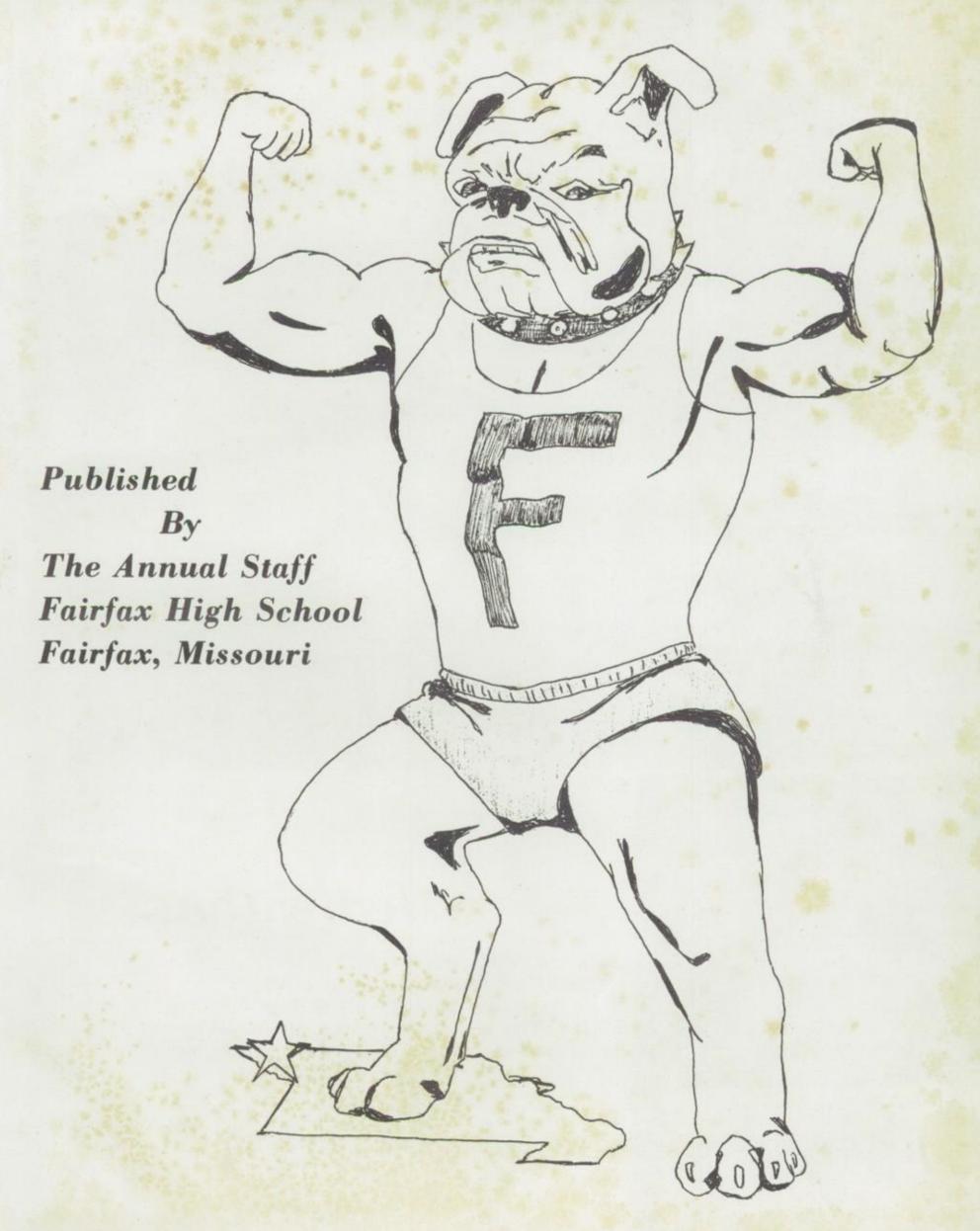
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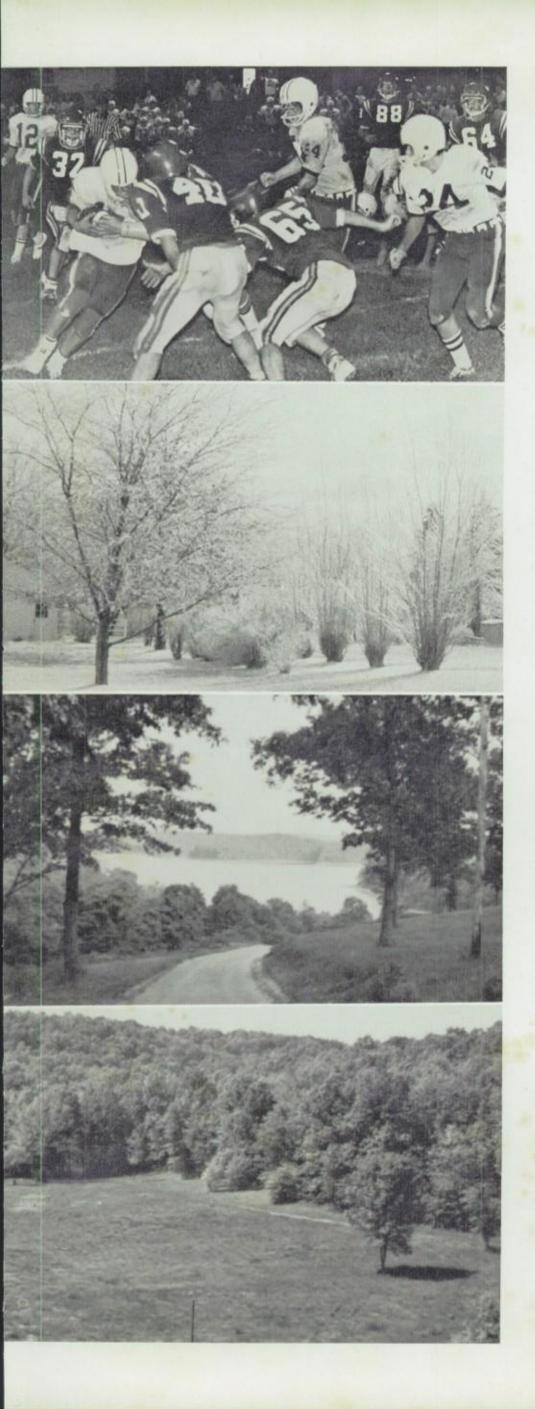


Dedication

With extreme pride and gratitude, the 1977 Annual Staff dedicates this year's Guardian to Mr. James Holtz.

Through six years at Fairfax he has served us well as Science teacher, Junior Class co-sponsor, bus driver, and sports statistician.

Your work has been greatly appreciated, and we thank you.



Seasons of Seventy-Seven

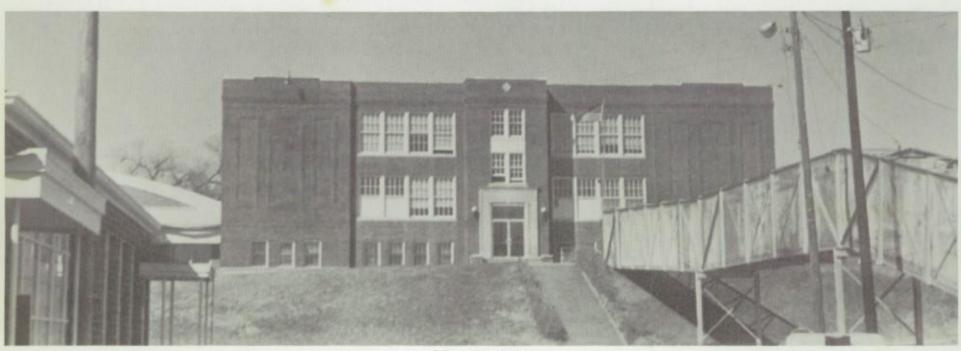


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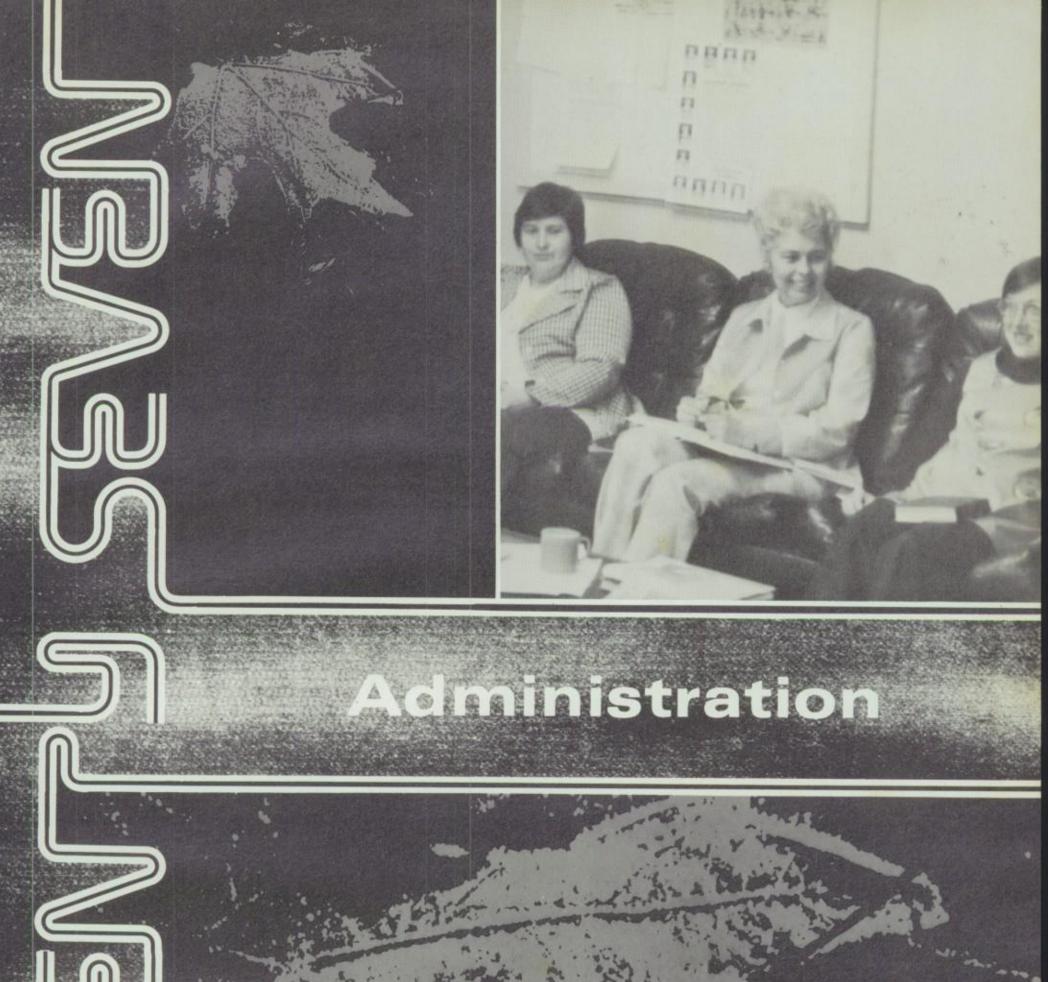
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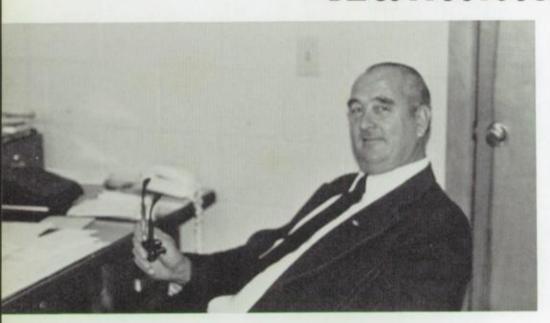




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Your graduation represents the most significant milestone in your career to date. It is the completion of the first stage of your preparation for a full and useful life and the beginning of the third century since the birth of our nation. Education begins at your birth and extends through life. The need for more and more education is an increasing necessity for those who hope to compete successfully in a technical age. It is my hope that you will continue your education through every resource at your command. It has been a genuine pleasure having been associated with you through your graduation. You have honored this institution as a student; as a graduate, you have it within your power to bring further honor to your Alma Mater through service to your fellowmen.

Every spring many high school students graduate and find themselves facing decisions that may effect their lives for sometime. Reaching this time of graduation is usually a happy time, one that you have looked forward to for many years. I'm sure that you will look back upon life as it passes and remember many good times at Fairfax High School. I hope your experience in high school will enable you to make decisions for a pleasant and enjoyable future. Perhaps these decisions will help you to reach the goals in life that you have set for yourself.

Mehn Gibson



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It is my hope that you have applied yourselves to the program provided by our school system. I can see you should be proud to be one to have graduated from FHS. My concern is that your education doesn't stop here, but that it will continue throughout your lifetime.

Larry adwell



Miss Sara Barksdale—This is Miss Barksdale's second year at FHS. Her classes include Elem. Art and Jr. High and High School Arts I and II.

Mr. Steve Bonagurio—This is Mr. Bonagurio's first year as teacher and coach at FHS. His classes are Health, PE, Drivers Ed., Jr. High PE, and he is sponsor of the Eighth Grade class.

Faculty

Mrs. Sharon Clark—Mrs. Clark has taught at FHS since 1964. Her classes include Jr. High English, English I, and she is cosponsor of the Junior Class.

Mr. Jack Collins—Mr. Collins has been at FHS for eight years. He teaches Eighth Grade Math, Functional Math, Algebra I and II, and Math Analysis. He is the Freshmen Class sponsor.





Mrs. Pam Cooper—Mrs. Cooper has been the Speech Therapist at FHS for four years.

Mr. Robert Cotter-Mr. Cotter has been here for two years. His classes include Jr. High Math, Seventh Grade Science, Geometry, and he is co-sponsor of the Senior Class.

Mrs. Ann DeRidder—This is Mrs. DeRidder's third year as teacher and Jr. High Basketball Coach. She teaches Soc. Pro., Crit. Issues, Int. Rel., Wld. Geog., Soc. Studies 7, Wld. History, Pol. Science, and Jr. High girls PE. She is also cosponsor of the Senior Class.

Mr. James Holtz-Mr. Holtz has taught here for six years. He teaches Science 8, Physical Science, Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Biology, Botany, and he is co-sponsor of the Junior Class.





Mr. Steve Kellepouris—This is Mr. Kellepouris' first year at FHS. Classes include Fund. of Music, Elem. Music, Jr. High, High School Band and Chorus, and co-sponsor of the All School Play.

Mrs. Adah Pyeatt—1977 marks Mrs. Pyeatt's 21st year teaching English II, III, IV, Drama, and Speech at FHS. She is the heart and soul of the Pub. Class and is co-sponsor of the All School Play.

Mrs. Lenora Miles—Mrs. Miles is in her second year here. She is the librarian for both High School and Elementary, the Pep Club sponsor, and High School girls' basketball coach.

Mr. Hayden Pyeatt—Mr. Pyeatt has taught her for 31 years, teaching Voc. Ag. I, II, III, IV, Sem. Ag., with 2 night classes for adults in shop and farm problems. He sponsors the Sophomore Class.





Mr. Garey Smith—This is Mr. Smith's second year at FHS. He teaches Salesmanship, Marketing and Retailing, Bookkeeping, Typing I and II, Business Law, and Basic Business. He is also Coach.

Mrs. Martha Jane Swindler—Mrs. Swindler is assisting the Kindergarten and First Grade classes. She is also the Kindergarten, First, Second, and Third Grade music instructor.

Miss Terry Turner—This is Miss Turner's first year at FHS. Her classes are Eighth Grade Social Studies and Ninth Grade American History. She is also the Seventh Grade sponsor. Mrs. Diana Vernon—Mrs. Vernon is our high school Counselor. She conducts both group and individual counseling sessions, testing programs, and helps students with information about colleges, etc.





Mrs. Terri Weichinger—Mrs. Weichinger is a new face also around our school. Her classes include Home Ec. I and II, Clothing, Int. Design, Home Nursing, Child Care, Foods, Personal Culture, and Family Relations.

Mrs. Evonne Wright-Mrs. Wright teaches Special Education at FHS. She has been here since 1974.



Karen Rogers Larry Manz

Kathy Brennan Bill Peterson



Student Observers



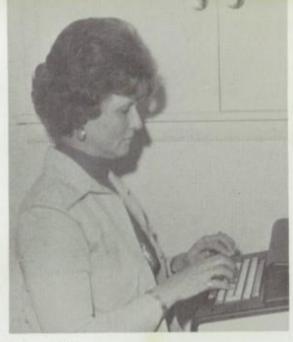
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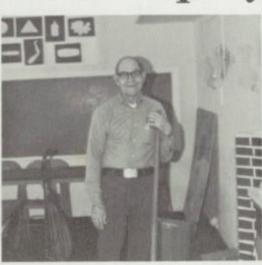


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Willis Weedin



Vernie Smith Custodians



Rodney Wake



Lois Harmon, Evelyn Whitford, Jerry Whittington, Claudine Woods, Norma Bradfield—Cooks



Merle Barr Bus Driver-Vo-Tech.

The cooks keep boys and girls growing by serving delicious meals. They have done a really fine job.

The custodians keep our school clean and germ-free. They work hard every year to add something that would be a little extra for the school and for the students.

Without the bus drivers we could not get to and from school to get the education we need.



Bus Drivers: Jim Jones, Gary Cooper, Rodney Wake, Wayman Park, Jim Holtz

School Plant in Action



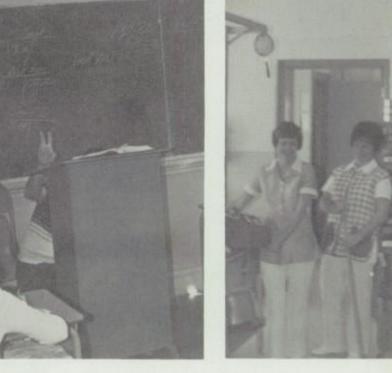




















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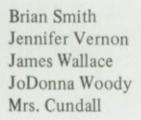
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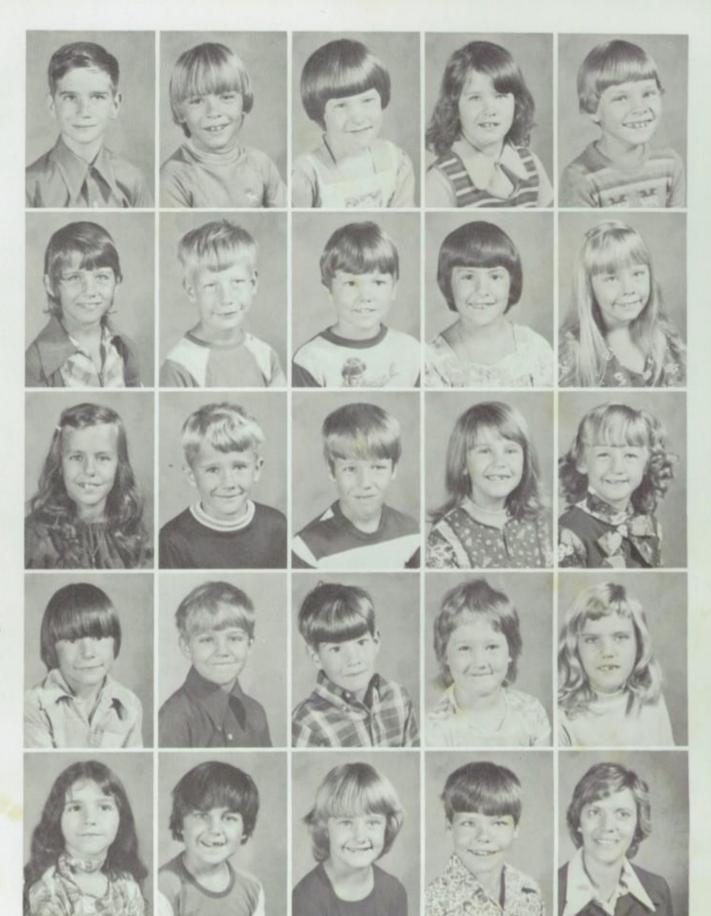
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Ryan Rogers
Jada Roop
Kerry Roop

Chris Schooler Mike Straub Jennifer Sutter Andy Wallace Mrs. Portis



Second Grade





Michele Burns Michelle Cofer Mike Creed Julie Dearmont Donovan Freemyer

Joey Gigliotti Robert Graves Ann Hawkins Steve Ireland Kelly Lewis

Michelle Lightner Maring Liles Charla Litherbury Billy Luellen Traci Paris

Shawn Rightsell
James Roop
Chris Rosenbohm
Angela Smith
John Smith

Kerri Smith
Dayne Sutter
Ross Swinehart
Tammy Wake
Beth Walker



Miss Oliver



Third Grade

Julie Abbott
J.B. Atkins
Rhonda Baker
John Brown
Roger Cleveland

Shannon Cooper Clark Craven Deanna Dixon Shelley Jackson Jay Kennel

David Murdock Dell Roop Jason Straub Timmy Walker Martha Wallace



Mrs. Smith



Fourth Grade







Reese Adams Scott Adwell Kevin Bolton Theresa Burns Don Cleveland

Jeff Dearmont James Dredge Jon Erwin Claudia Gamache John Gigliotti

Shawn Ireland Jeff Kottman Kelly Lawrence Sean McGuire Shelly Phelps

Jennifer Rightsell Leigh Ann Rogers Marsha Sinkhorn Brian Stoner Mrs. Griffey



Fifth Grade

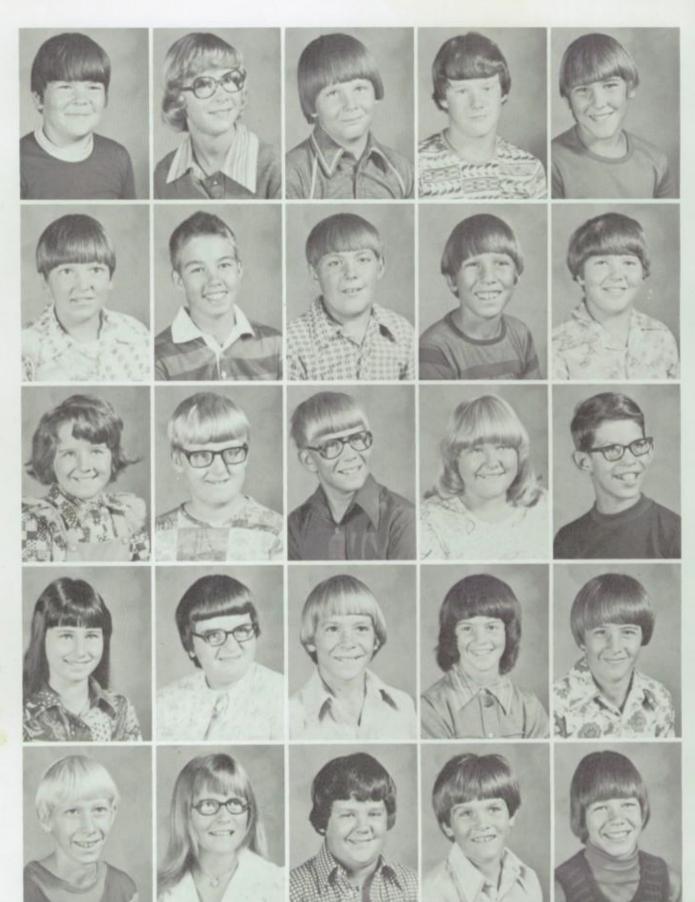
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Julie Hafner Robert Hawkins Leslie Kerr Cindy Lewis Randy Liles

Susan Miles Jackie Moore Allen Roses Janene McCartney Kevin Owens

Scott Peterson Sonia Rightsell Scott Smith Todd Smith Doug Thompson





Sixth Grade

Fifth and Sixth Grade Band



Row 3: Doug Thompson, Robbie Hawkins, David Clark, Scott Smith, James Dredge, Mr. Kellepouris. Row 2: Todd Smith, John Gomel, Leslie Kerr, Sean McGuire, Kevin Bolton, Jeff Abbott, Randall Liles, Scott Adwell, Shawn Ireland, Kevin Owens, Mike Bolton. Row 1: Susan Miles, Janene McCartney, Claudia Gamache, Theresa Burns, Lisa Alldredge, Scott Peterson, Jeff Dearmont, John Gigliotti.



The Fifth and Sixth Grade Band, under the direction of Mr. Kellepouris, practiced twice a week. They learned the basics involved with playing in a band, and became better prepared for performing in the Junior High Band.



Gerusha Adwell Nancy Brandt Kevin Carder Kirbi Carder Holly Combs

Billy Ilsley Doug Jackson Harold Lawrence Duke McLaughlin Mark O'Riley

Elaine Park Jimmy Phelps Kevin Roop Laurie Scarlett Kevin Sinkhorn

Gay Stoner Ronnie Stoner Bradley Umbarger Deana Wennihan Jack Wiley





























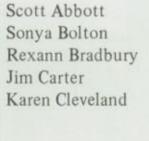
Seventh Grade



Pres.-Kevin Roop Vice Pres.-Holly Combs Secretary-Elaine Parks Treasurer-Gay Stoner

Miss Turner





Brett Craven
Jimmy Dixon
Nancy Egeland
Michelle Gamache
Billy Graves

Lea Anne Hawkins Dana Heits Todd Heits Kathryn Jones Jane Lawrence

Jamie Lewis
Darrell Liles
Marvin McCartney
Michelle McGuire
Beverly McKenzie

Chris Owens Brian Peterson Jeff Purtle Roger Ray Randall Sly



Eighth Grade

Pres.—Lea Ann Hawkins, Vice Pres.—Chris Owens, Secretary—Billy Graves, Treasurer—Brett Craven.



Row 5: Kirby Carder, Brett Craven, Chris Owens, Marvin McCartney, Jamie Lewis, Mr. Kellepouris. Row 4: Billy Ilsley, Harold Lawrence, Randall Liles, Brian Peterson, Jack Wiley, Duke McLaughlin, Jimmy Phelps, Jimmy Carter. Row 3: Jim Dixon, Kevin Sinkhorn, Mark O'Riley, Ronnie Stoner, Kevin Carder, Kevin Walker, Roger Ray, Billy Graves, Scott Abbott. Row 2: Lea Anne Hawkins, Holly Combs, Nancy Brandt, Karen Yandell, Kathryn Jones, Michelle Gamache, Michelle McGuire, Rexann Bradbury, Rose Taylor, Karen Cleveland, Dana Heits, Row 1: Jane Lawrence, Elaine Park, Gerushia Adwell, Gay Stoner, Laurie Scarlett, Beverly McKenzie, Deana Wennihan, Nancy Egeland, Sonya Bolton.



Row 3: Nancy Brandt, Karen Yandell, Scott Adwell, Jimmy Phelps, Kevin Carder, Marvin McCartney, Mr. Kellepouris, Harold Lawrence. Row 2: Kathryn Jones, Randall Sly, Chris Owens, Dana Heits, Brian Peterson, Brad Umbarger, Kirby Carder, Duke McLaughlin, John Sinkhorn, Jimmy Carter, Randall Liles, Jack Wiley Todd Heits, Brett Craven. Row 1: Lea Anne Hawkins, Jane Lawrence, Michelle Gamache, Laurie Scarlett, Gerushia Adwell, Gay Stoner, Deana Wennihan, Holly Combs, Sonya Bolton, Rexann Bradbury.

Junior High Choir and Band

The Jr. High Band, and Choir, under the direction of Mr. Kellepouris, contributed to the music program this year by participating in the Christmas and Spring Concerts. The students and Mr. Kellepouris worked hard in preparing for their concert and their future participation in high school music.



Row 3: Coach Bonagurio, Jack Wiley, Brian Peterson, Darrell Liles, Mark O'Riley, Kirbi Carder, Ronnie Stoner, Row 2: Jimmy Dixon, Todd Heits, Brett Craven, Kevin Carder, Jimmy Phelps, Duke McLaughlin. Row 1: Roger Ray, Jamie Lewis, Chris Owens, Marvin McCartney, Bill Graves, Kevin Roop, Manager.





Jr High Basketball

The Jr. High Boys had a very good year with an 8-2 record. Coach Bonagurio led his boys into the West Nodaway Tournament and captured second place. Congratulations to Coach Bonagurio and the boys.





The Jr. High Girls under the coaching of Ann De Ridder posted an impressive record of 8-2. They also captured first place in the West Nodaway Tournament. Congratulations to Coach DeRidder and the girls.



Row 3: Rexann Bradbury, Holly Combs, Laurie Scarlett, Gay Stoner, Elaine Park, Karen Yandell, Coach DeRidder, Row 2: Kathryn Jones, Gerushia Adwell, Deana Wennihan, Beverly McKenzie, Jane Lawrence, Karen Cleveland, Michelle McGuire. Row 1: Sonya Bolton, Dana Heits, Lea Anne Hawkins, Michelle Gamache, Nancy Brandt.



The Junior High Cheerleaders did a good job supporting their basketball teams with their cheers, chants, and enthusiasm. They also performed a half-time routine at their last home basketball game.

Jane Lawrence, Nancy Brandt, Deana Wennihan, Lea Anne Hawkins, Gay Stoner, Sonya Bolton.

Junior High Cheerleaders







Greg Beck Jeff Chester Kent Fisher Bonnie Gamache

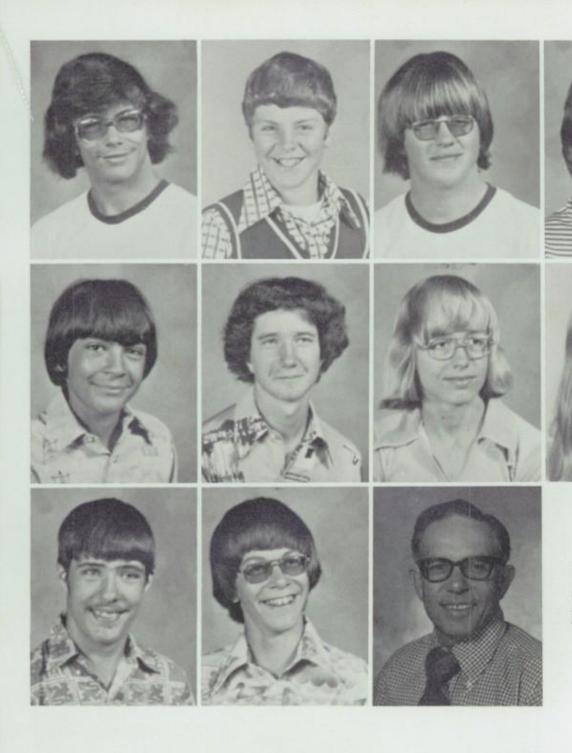
Judy Gigliotti Linda Hamilton Brian Ireland Krista Kruse



Darla Liles Joyce Martin Doug Miller Joni O'Riley

Freshmen





Curtis Phelps John Sinkhorn Mark Smith Darla Thompson

Tim Umbarger Jim Vogler Todd Walker Gail Weedin

Doyle Yandell Greg Young Mr. Collins



President—Brian Ireland, Vice-President—Darla Thompson, Secretary—Kent Fisher, Treasurer—Joni O'Riley.



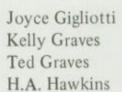
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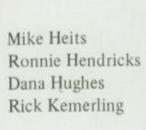












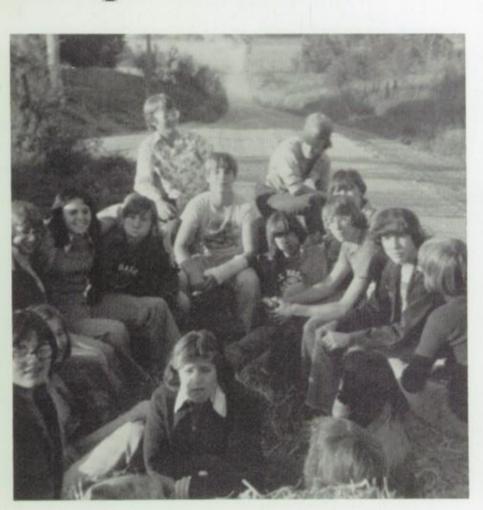








Sophomores



Clarence Kerr Julie Lawrence









Tonya Lewis Joyce McKenzie Lori Miles Ricky Paris

Cheryl Pierce Jim Silkett Barry Simmons Melody Sinkhorn

J. Smith Jerrie Strough David Thompson Paul Whittington



Mary Wilson Mr. Pyeatt



President—Rick Kemerling Vice-Pres.—Dave Thompson Soc. Chair.—Ted Graves



Juniors

Lynn Adams Kim Barr Barbara Bolton Ramona Bradbury

Brian Craven Brian Curry Mark Gigliotti Mike Gigliotti

Guy Graves Mary Hawkins Nancy Johnson Shawnee Kruse







Mark McCartney

Mrs. Clark





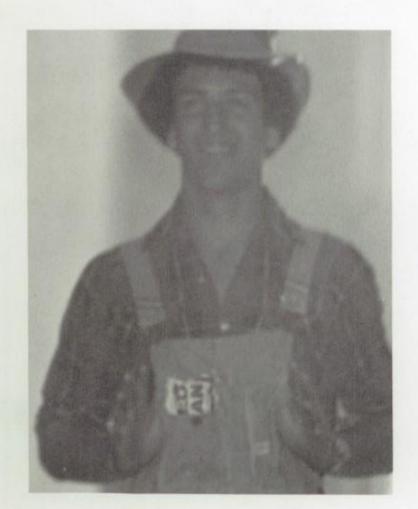
















Diane Moore Mike Moses Jan Norton Tony Pinzino

Morris Ray Gail Strough Daun Thompson Bently Umbarger



Lois Wallace Brandon White Linda Whitford Jo Beth Wiley



Mr. Holtz



President-Linda Whitford, Vice President-Mary Hawkins, Secretary-Nancy Johnson, Treasurer-Gail Strough, Jr. Stand Chairpeople-Jan Norton and Brian Craven.



Vo-Tech Students



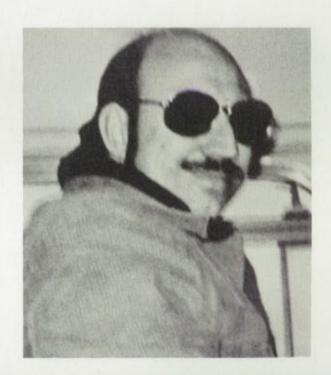
This year four boys enrolled in the Maryville Area Vocational Technical School. The boys were Terry Kemerling—Auto Mechanics II, Bob Schooler—Auto Mechanics II, Kent Ray—Welding II, and Greg Beck—Special Education.

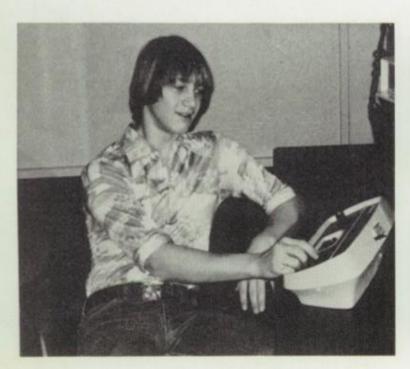
Auto Mechanics—Taught the boys Engine Overhauling, Brake Jobs, Transmission and Differential Maintenance, Carburetor cleaning and overhauling, Front End Alignment and other general engine repairs.

Welding II—Taught the parts of a cutting torch, Mig and Tig Welders, welding engine blocks, constructing squeeze chutes bleachers, and general welding repairs.

The general purpose of the Vocational School is to teach boys and girls technical skills. This will help the students to prepare themselves for after High School.









Activities

Swing and Pop Choirs



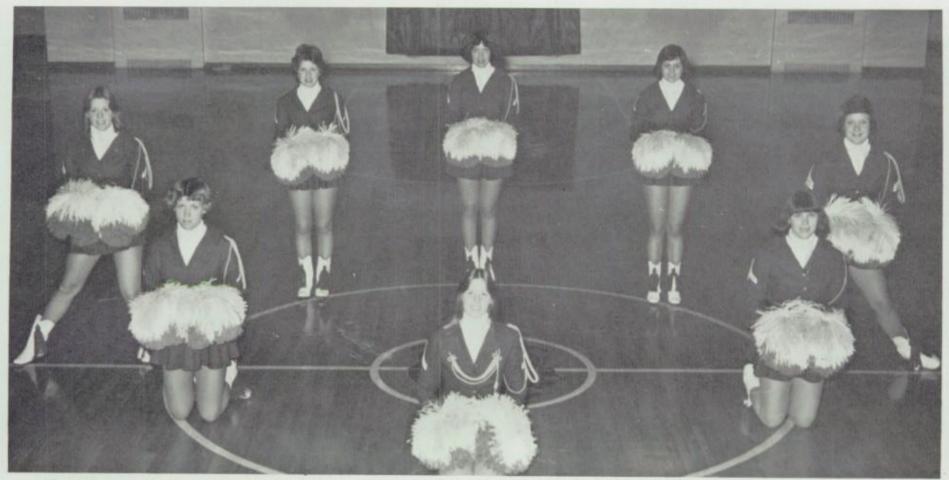
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Stage Band



Row 3: Roger Pennel, Linda Whitford, Bently Umbarger, Jim Ball, Ronald Baker, Greg Lawrence, Mr. Kellepouris. Row 2: Darla Thompson, Chris Owens, Doug Miller, Tom Kruse. Row 1: Joyce Graves, Jan Norton, Mark McCartney, Shawn Kruse, Kathryn Jones, Krista Kruse, Tim Umbarger.

Majorettes and Color Guards



Jan Norton, Margaret Cleveland, Gail Strough, Lori Miles, Barbara Bolton, Jerrie Strough, Shawn Kruse, Kris Fisher

During the summer five majorettes and one color guard member attended the NCA Pom Pon and Song Leader Clinic at Baker University in Baldwin, Kansas. While there they learned many pom pon and jazz routines. Under the direction of Greta Kellepouris, the majorettes performed halftime routines at all the home football games. They also performed at the halftimes of the basketball homecoming and the finals of the Fairfax Invitational Tournament. Besides these routines, the majorettes and color guard marched in the Maryville College parade and performed routines at the Spring Concert. The girls have plans to perform at the Fairfax Fair this summer in June and to return to the Clinic. Since all the majorettes will return next year, they are looking forward to another fine year.



Krista Kruse, Judy Gigliotti, Cindy Bolton, Diane Moore







Concert Band

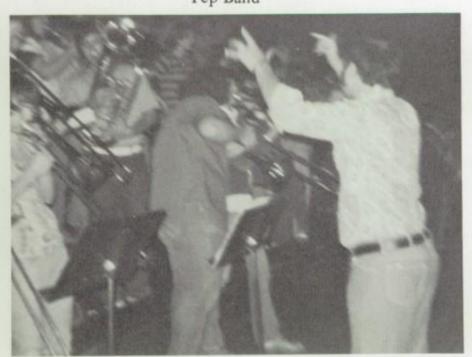


Row 4: Barb Bolton, Margaret Cleveland, Kris Fisher, Judy Gigliotti, J. Smith, Diane Moore, Linda Whitford, Bill Gamache, Richard Payton, Kent Fisher, Roger Pennel, Mr. Kellepouris. Row 3: Rob Bowness, Ron Baker, Jim Ball, Bently Umbarger, Todd Walker, Daun Thompson, Greg Lawrence. Row 2: Gail Strough, Jerrie Strough, Cindy Bolton, Joyce Graves, Jan Norton, Mark McCartney, Krista Kruse, Greg Young, Tim Umbarger, Brandon White, Ted Graves, Gail Weedin, Clarence Kerr, Darla Thompson, Shawn Kruse, Nancy Johnson, Julie Lawrence, Lori Miles, Darla Liles, Carol Carter, Chris Gomel, Mary Ann Scarlett. Absent: Joyce Gigliotti, Bonnie Gamache.

Mr. Steve Kellepouris has had a very successful first year as leader of the FHS band. His Marching Bulldogs performed at football halftimes and praticipated in the NWMSU Homecoming parade at Maryville. They performed a very interesting Halloween show in which Tom "Big Bird" Kruse won an award for the most unusual costume.

Pep Band played at pep rallies and at the halftime of the last home basketball game. The Concert Band, consisting of 45 members performed at the Christmas and Spring Concerts. They also went to District Music Contest at Maryville. Mrs. Greta Kellepouris sponsored the Majorettes as well as giving baton and dance lesson.

Pep Band

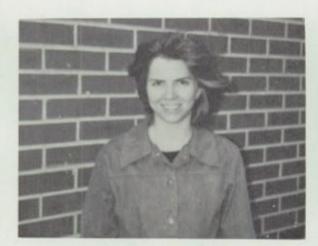


Band Officers: Vice President-Rob Bowness, President Tom Kruse.











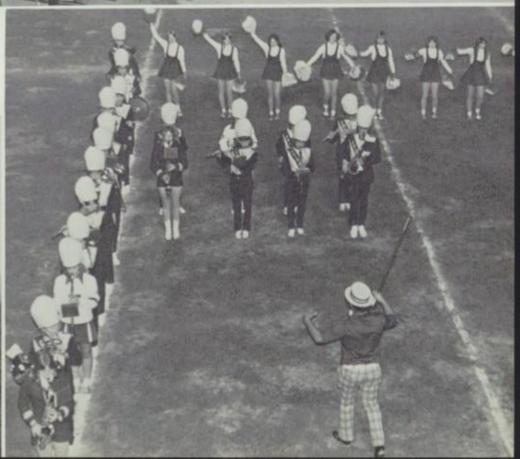




Marching Band







High School Choir



Row 6: Ted Graves, Jim Ball, Daun Thompson, Greg Lawrence. Row 5: Mike Gigliotti, Bill Gamache, Richard Payton, Kim Barr, Mark McCartney, Chris Bradfield, Randy Beck. Row 4: Bently Umbarger, Brandon White, Mike Moses, Mary Beth Hawkins, Diana Moore, Shawn Kruse, Lynn Adams, Cindy Moses, Mark Gigliotti, Roger Pennel, Ronald Baker. Row 3: Cindy Bolton, Julie Lawrence, Paula Hubbard, Dana Hughes, Carol Carter, Darla Liles, Joyce Martin, Tonya Lewis, Kris Fisher, Linda Whitford. Row 2: Dawn Ilsley, Jo Beth Wiley, Lois Wallace, Jan Norton, Vickie O'Riley, Dina Pinzino, Eveta Adams, Carla Barr, Mary Ann Scarlett, Lori Miles. Row 1: Chris Gomel, DeAnna Thompson, Gail Weedin, Peggy McMullen, Tory McKenzie, Barbara Bolton, Joni O'Riley, Joyce Graves, Mr. Kellepouris.



The High
School Choir
spent a busy
year preparing
for a performance at the
Christmas and
Spring Concerts. They received a two
rating at District Contest in
Maryville.





District Music Contest



Chris Gomel Vocal Solo-1



Boys' Quartet-1



Ted Graves Vocal Solo-1



Saxophone Sextet-1



Linda Whitford Drum Solo—1



Clarinet Trio-2



Mixed Double-2



Margaret Cleveland Piano Solo-2

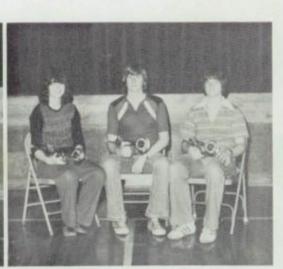
These groups participated in the District Music Contest at NWMSU at Maryville on April 30. Under the direction of Mr. Kelle-pouris, the groups received many good ratings.



Girls' Sextet-2



Baritone Trio-3



Trumpet Trio-3

FFA



Row 4: Morris Ray, Brian Curry, Tim Umbarger, Todd Walker, Curtis Phelps, Greg Beck, Doug Miller, Kent Fisher, Brian Ireland, Greg Young, Mike Moses, Guy Graves, Row 3: Brian Craven, Mark McCartney, Tony Pinzino, Barry Simmons, Jay Smith, Ricky Kemerling, Ronnie Hendricks, Kelly Graves, Paul Whittington, Clarence Kerr, Row 2: Bob Schooler, Terry Kemerling, Bill Gamache, Randy Beck, Kent Ray, Chris Bradfield, Mike Heits, H.A. Hawkins, Row 1: Mr. Pyeatt, Advisor; Rob Bowness, Parliamentarian; Donnie Brandt, Treasurer; Roger Pennel, President; Ronald Baker, Sentinel; Tom Kruse, Vice-President; Jim Ball, Reporter.



Winners-CornYield Contest Sponsored by Kiwanis

The FFA activities for the year included an overnight trip to the American Royal in Kansas City in October, and to the Farm Machine Show, also in Kansas City, in February. The chapter sold citrus fruit to raise money with which they rebuilt the football concession stand, paneled the classroom, and painted the shop.







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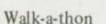


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FHA started off the year by initiating 8 freshmen who dressed as babies. The officers attended Officer's Workshop at Graham. Regional Meeting was at NWMSU on October 10. Our chapter had a good attendance. Barnwarming was December 20. Our moneymaking project was selling Current Stationery. Our service projects included Christmas Caroling, Secret Grandmothers, and a March of Dimes Walk-a-thon. Our activity was Spring Trip to Kansas City on April 18. We visited Children's House and the Designer Showhouse. On April 25 we honored our parents and secret grandmothers at a banquet and style show. For FHA week we sponsored a poster contest and enjoyed a talk by Miss Supernaw from the County Health Center.

Initiation

Poster Contest







Barnwarming



Favorite Fellow-Rob Bowness



Chapter Sweetheart-Eveta Adams

The annual FFA and FHA Barnwarming was held December 20 in the old gym. This year's caller was Don Mobley who added a new face to the Barnwarming. Don provided "a good ole knee slapping time" for the evening. Eveta Adams and Rob Bowness reigned over the Barn warming as Chapter Sweetheart and Favorite Fellow. The FHA girls provided the food and the FFA boys provided the drinks for the evening. Everyone enjoyed themselves very much as Don showed them how to dance the old fashioned way.









FFA Parent and Son Banquet



The annual FFA Parent and Son Banquet was held April 28. For the meal, the FFA chapter provided ham and covered dishes were supplied by mothers of the members. The meal was served by the FHA girls and was enjoyed by all. Roger Pennel, president of the local FFA chapter, served as master of ceremonies while Kent Ray introduced guests and Jim Ball provided a report on the chapter's activities. Speaker for the banquet, Dr. Joe Garret, head of beef production NWMSU Ag Department, gave a talk on the importance of FFA to the community. Awards given during the banquet went to: Greg Young, Star Green Hand; Clarence Kerr, Ag Electrification; Mike Heits, Crop Production; Mike Moses, Ag Mechanics; Tim Umbarger, Beef Production; Roger Pennel, Star Chapter Farmer; Jim Ball, Public Speaking Award; H. A. Hawkins, Swine Production. Kent Ray was given a certificate recognizing him as a State Farmer.



Dr. Joe Garret



Mr. and Mrs. Pyeatt and the FHA servers



Jim Ball, Public Speaking



Kent Ray, State Farmer



Old and New Officers

FHA Activities



March of Dimes Walk-a-thon



Spring Trip



Style Show



Initiation



It's been a busy year!!

Student Council



Row 2: Laurie Scarlett, Jane Lawrence, Kris Fisher, Krista Kruse, Doug Miller, Brandon White, Ronnie Hendricks, Shawn Kruse, Mr. Gibson. Row 1: Mary Ann Scarlett, Linda Whitford, Jim Ball, Joyce Gigliotti, Ronald Baker.

Librarians

Librarians for 76-77 were: Row 2: Barb Bolton, Mrs. Lenora Miles, Eveta Adams. Row 1: Paula Hubbard, Cindy Moses.

County Government Day



Those attending County Government Day were: Row 3: Doyle Yandall, Greg Young, Greg Beck, Curtis Phelps, Todd Walker, Kent Fisher, Doug Miller, Brian Ireland, Mark Smith, Jim Vogler. Row 2: Miss Terry Turner, Jeff Chester, Linda Hamilton, Darla Thompson, Krista Kruse, Judy Gigliotti, Joyce Martin, Darla Liles, Russell Stark. Row 1: John Sinkhorn, Tim Umbarger, Bonnie Gamache, Joni O'Riley, Gail Weedin.



Pep Club



Row 4: Nancy Johnson, Diane Moore, Dawn Ilsley, Sally Sahlin, Darla Liles, Paula Hubbard, Linda Hamilton, Krista Kruse. Row 3: Barb Bolton, Jan Norton, Melody Sinkhorn, Lori Miles, Ramona Bradbury, Dana Hughes, Joyce Martin, Gail Weedin, Kris Fisher, Julie Lawrence. Row 2: Carol Carter, Lois Wallace, Jo Beth Wiley, Shawn Kruse, Cindy Moses, Judy Gigliotti, Joni O'Riley, Chris Gomel, Vicky O'Riley, Joyce Graves. Row 1: Mrs. Lenora Miles, Sponsor; Carla Barr, President; Dina Pinzino, Vice President; Linda Whitford, Secretary; Mary Hawkins, Treasurer; Mary Ann Scarlett, Eveta Adams, Decoration Chairmen; Darla Thompson, Mascot; Jerrie Strough.



The FHS Pep Club sponsored by Mrs. Lenora Miles, had a very busy year. They held a car wash, a bake sale, and also sold shampoo to raise money. The money they made was used to finance two very successful homecomings. They were very spirited in their support of the teams.



School Song We're loyal to you Fairfax High, To the green and the white, Fairfax High, We'll back you to stand You're the best in the land For your true loyal band, Fairfax High. Rah! Rah! So keep that in mind, Fairfax High, We're pledged to your shrine, Fairfax High. Our school is our fame protector Lead on that we may do great things For our own High School band. Bring out that dear old flag of green and white. Lead on ye students for the right we fight, Like men of thrift and courage Placing reliance, shouting defiance, Rah! Rah! Rah! Amid the broad green fields that nourish our land, For honest labor and for courage we stand, For unto thee we pledge our hearts and hands, Dear old Fairfax High you are so grand.

Cheerleaders

Cheering the Fairfax teams this year were Joyce Graves, Jerrie Strough, Julie Lawrence, and Krista Kruse. These girls attended the NCA Cheerleading Clinic at NWMSU during the summer. They had a very successful week, collecting three blue and one red ribbon, as well as being named a super star squad. To make money they took donations on gasoline which they gave away at the Community Fair. During the year they performed routines at both the Football and Basketball Homecomings. The cheerleaders and majorettes provided entertainment at the Invitational Tournament with a hand routine to "Happy Days." Every week the cheerleaders put on a pep rally to raise spirit and interest in the games. Their sponsor is Mrs. Lenora Miles.



Krista Kruse, Joyce Graves, Julie Lawrence, Jerrie Strough.



Football Homecoming

During the pre-game ceremonies Richard Payton and Dina Pinzino were crowned King and Queen of the FHS Homecoming.

The Football team rewarded the royalty with a win over South Holt. After the game King Richard and Queen Dina reigned over the dance to the music of "Legend."

The theme of the 1976 homecoming was "Dream Weaver." The old gym was decorated with blue and white streamers running from the center of the gym to the walls. The decorations were highlighted by a rainbow created by art teacher, Miss Barksdale. The walls were decorated with blue-starred paper and clouds for couples names on the wall behind the refreshment table. The Pep Club served refreshments during the dance.



King Richard and Queen Dina.

Dina Pinzino, Richard Payton, Gail Strough, Randy Beck, Carol Carter, Chris Bradfield, Dawn Ilsley, Bill Gamache, Joni O'Riley. Not Pictured: Roger Pennel.



Basketball Homecoming



King Mark and Queen Mary Ann shared the royalty at the Homecoming. The theme of the dance was: "Dreams are for Sharing". The dance was a real success. The Pep Club served the refreshments, and the music was presented by "Legend".

King Mark and Queen Mary Ann.



Mark and Mary Ann.



Tom and Eveta.



Robbie and Vickie.



Row 2: Robbie Bowness, Tom Kruse, Mark Fisher. Row 1: Vickie O'Riley, Eveta Adams, Mary Ann Scarlett.



A Delightful Spot



Punch and Cookies



Queen Carla-King Ronald



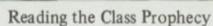
The Dance



The Kiss

1977 Junior-Senior Prom "Pieces of April"







Reading the Class History



Reading the Class Will



Peek-a-boo!!!!



You're Kidding!

"Pieces of April" was the theme of this year's Jr.-Sr. Prom and Banquet. The Prom was held in the Cafeteria, decorated with beautiful pastel colors which gave everyone the feeling of Spring. The Prom guests entered through a beautifully decorated archway. Fascinating high lights of the decorations were a colorful rainbow with its pot-of-gold at the end, a splashing delightful fountain, many raindrops from April showers, and buzzing bees in the flowers. Supper was provided and served by the "49ers" Club. Dina Pinzino and Rob powness read the Class Prophecy, Joyce Graves and Greg Lawrence read the Class History, and Mary Ann Scarlett and Ronald Baker read the Class Will. Junior Class President Linda Whitford crowned the 1977 Prom Queen and King, Carla Barr and Ronald Baker. Music for the dance following the banquet was provided by "Harbour". April 22 was an evening to remember.



How Sweet!

Honors— Achievements

The annual assembly to recognize and present awards to outstanding students was held May 18. Awards were given for academic achievement and for performance in many activities. Honor Students were Greg Lawrence, Joyce Graves, Tom Kruse, Vicky O'Riley, Eveta Adams, and Dawn Ilsley. Seniors dedicated the yearbook to Mr. James Holtz for outstanding leadership the past six years.



Editor-in-Chief and Staff Officers



Top Six-Honors



I Dare You-Joyce and Greg



Yearbook Divisional Editors



Scholarships



Entire Year E Honor Roll-Jane, Joyce, Greg, Tom, and Linda



Kindergarten Graduates



Typing I Awards
Co. Gov. Silver Dollar Essays



D.A.R-Vicky, Jane, Mark

Dedication of Yearbook-Mr. Holtz









Tom Kruse John Philip Sousa



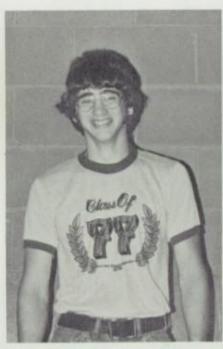
Vicky O'Riley Betty Crocker Homemaker



Joyce Graves Senior Homemaker, D.A.R.



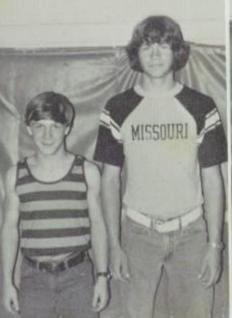
Jim Ball—Rob Bowness Drama



Greg Lawrence
Math Olympiad, Math and
Science, D.A.R., Curator Sch.,
Editor-in-Chief, Cert. of
Merit—PSAT



Girls' State
Barb Bolton
Alternate
Linda Whitford



Boys' State Mike Moses Alternate Daun Thompson



Freedom Forum Bently Umbarger Alternate—Jan Norton



Kent Ray State Farmer



Outstanding Athletes
Mark Fisher Chris Bradfield



Pep Club-Ramona Bradbury



Pep Club-Sally Sahlin



All School Musical—Adrift in New York

Cast

Silas Weston-a New England Farmer-Ted Graves

Martha Weston-his elder daughter-Mary Ann Scarlett

Nellie Weston-the Flower of the family-Carla Barr

Aunt Sarah Weston—a spinster—Vickie O'Riley Jack Merriwell—a poor but honest man—Jim Ball

Francis (Desperate) Desmond—an unscrupulous villain—Rob Bowness

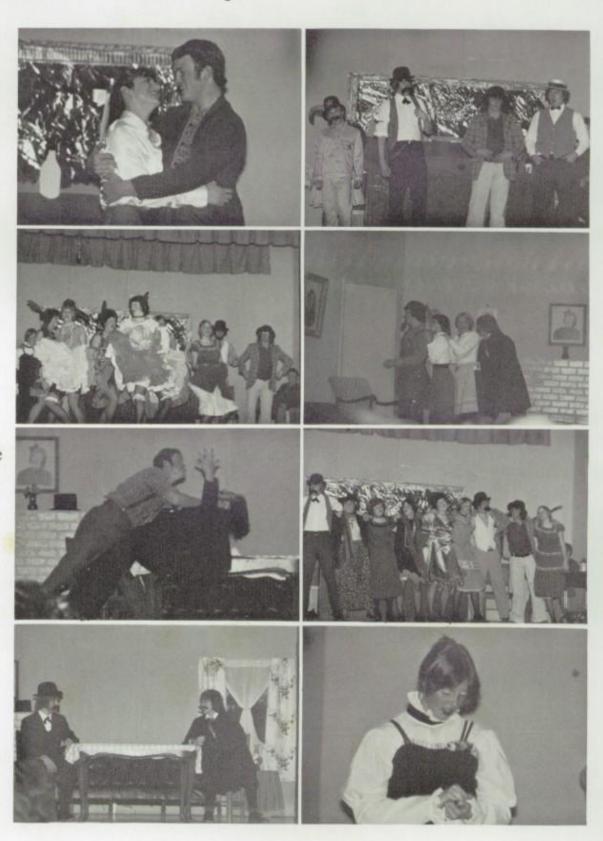
Jim Burke—of the underworld—Chris Bradfield Hi Perkins—a limb of the law—Terry Kemerling Dan Fogerty—a honkytonk owner—Tom Kruse Maggie Clancy (Old Mag)—who has seen better days—Joyce Graves

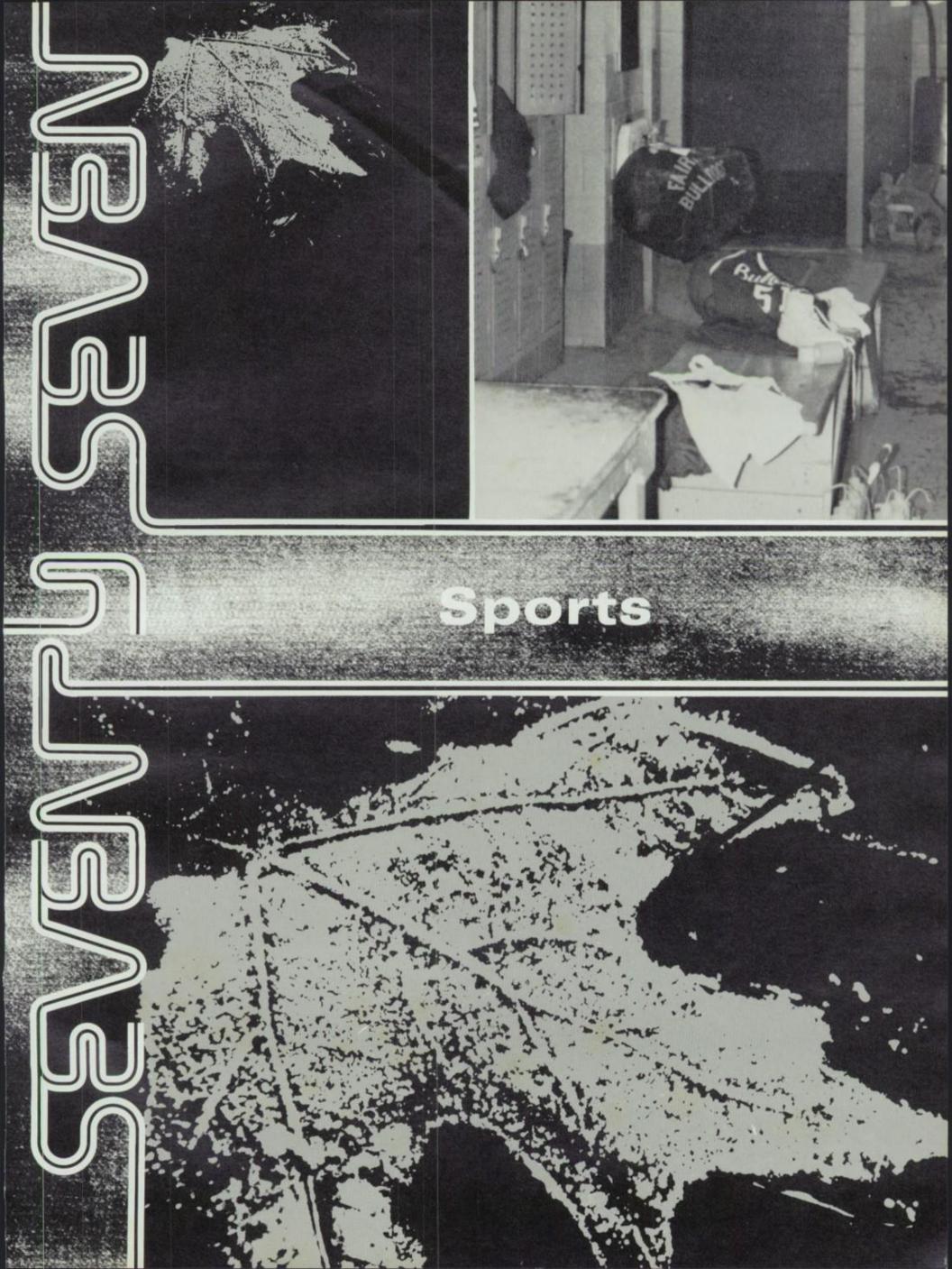
Mulligan—a Bowery cop—Mike Moses
Sadie May—a variety performer—Kris Fisher
Monty (The Dip) Moran—a honkytonk employee
—Randy Beck

Slick McCoy—A vareity performer—Ted Graves Lillian Morrison—the honkytonk prima donna— Shawn Kruse

Kitty Kelly—a variety performer—Chris Gomel Extras: Piano player, customers, other dancers, singers and variety acts—Eveta Adams, Krista Kruse, Mary Hawkins, Dina Pinzino, Jan Norton, Barb Bolton, Julie Lawrence, Margaret Cleveland

Voice from the audience—Brandon White Directors—Mrs. Pyeatt and Mr. Kellepouris Accompanist—Mrs. Moore







Row 3: Coach Bonagurio, Morris Ray, Greg Lawrence, Roger Pennel, Mark Fisher, Richard Payton, Bill Gamache, Jim, Ball, Randy Beck, Chris Bradfield, Coach Smith; Row 2: Guy Graves, Brian Craven, Daun Thompson, Bently Umbarger, Mike Gigliotti, Tony Pinzino, David Thompson, Ted Graves, J. Smith, Brandon White; Row 1: Jim Vogler, Doug Miller, Brian Ireland, Mark Smith, Todd Walker, Kent Fisher, Curtis Phelps, John Sinkhorn, Doyle Yandell, Paul Whittington

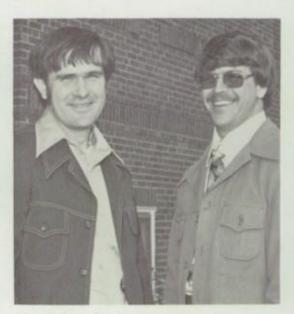
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Co-Captains Mark and Richard



Senior Stars



Head Coach—Bonagurio Assistant— Smith

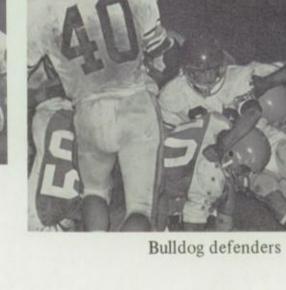
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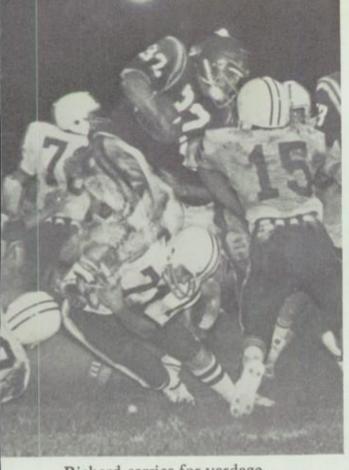




Extra Point

FHS Sports Spectacular





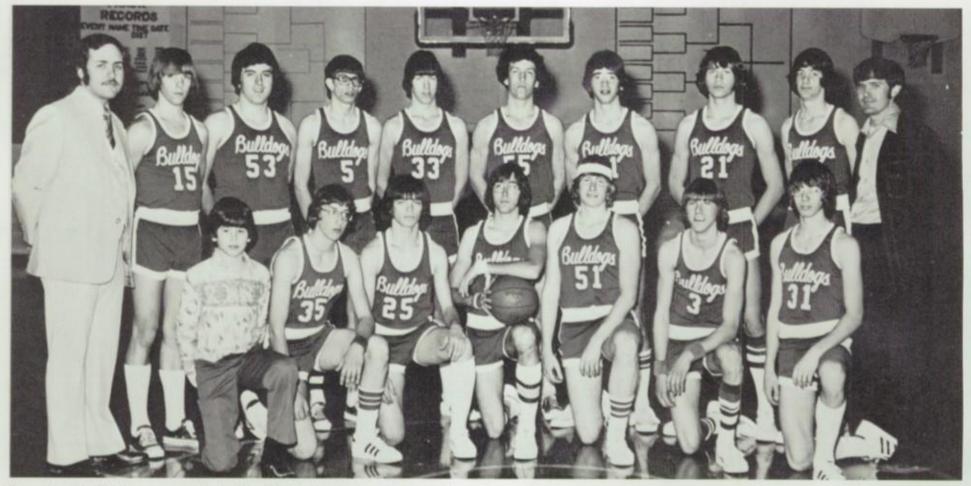
Richard carries for yardage.



Mark makes a pass.

The mighty Bulldogs had one of their finest seasons ever. They finished their season with an 8-1 record and finished second place in the 275 Conference. They were defeated by a strong Tarkio team, but regained their momentum and won their next two games. These members received All-Conference Honors: Richard Payton-All-Conference Back; Mark Fisher-All-Conference Quarterback; Daun Thompson-Honorable Mention End.





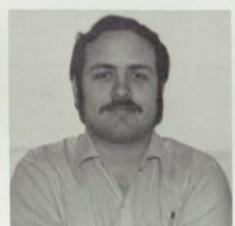
Row 2: Mr. Kellepouris, Chris Bradfield, Ted Graves, Kim Barr, David Thompson, Tony Pinzino, Greg Lawrence, Daun Thompson, Mark McCartney, Coach Garey Smith. Row 1: Harold Lawrence, Brandon White, Mark Fisher, Robbie Bowness, Tom Kruse, Morris Ray, J. Smith.

The boys started their season with three returning lettermen. After many rough practices, the boys finally entered into play. Theirs was a very up and down season with an 8-12 record. Often they lost a very close contest by not more than one point. This year's team was sparked by 11 lettermen. Under the coaching of Garey Smith and assistant Steve Kellepouris, co-captains Mark Fisher and Greg Lawrence helped lead the team. Mark Fisher was also honored by being chosen First Team All-Conference.

Roundball



Coach Smith



Mr. Kellepouris



Row 2: Mr. Kellepouris, H. A. Hawkins, Greg Young, David Thompson, Ted Graves, Jim Vogler, Doug Miller, J. Smith, Coach Garey Smith. Row 1: Todd Walker, Curtis Phelps, Jeff Chester, Kent Fisher, Ronnie Hendricks, Todd Smith.



Row 2: Barb Bolton, Shawn Kruse, Eveta Adams, Chris Gomel, Mary Hawkins, Krista Kruse, Linda Whitford, Kris Fisher, Coach Lenora Miles. Row 1: Jan Norton, Mary Ann Scarlett, Jerrie Strough, Dina Pinzino, Gail Strough, Vicky O'Riley, Carla Barr.

Round-Up

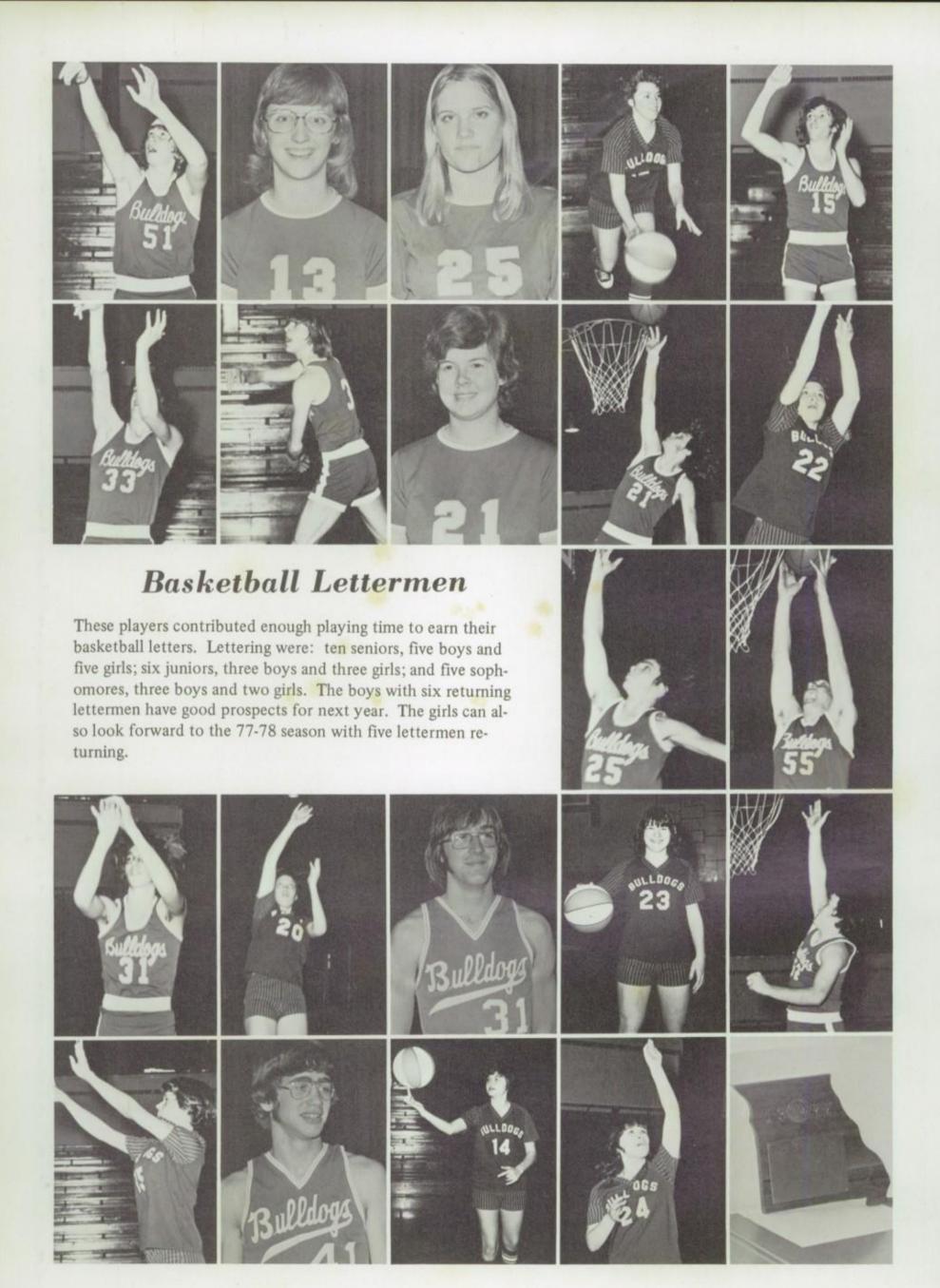


Mrs. Miles

The girls started their season with six returning lettermen. With hard work and much enthusiasm, they achieved a successful season, winning most of their games. They ended with a record of 16-6. Under the coaching of Lenora Miles, the girls took First in the Mound City Tournament, Consolation in the Fairfax Invitational Tournament, and after losing to North Nodaway by one point, they took Second in the Girls' Regional Tournament. Under the leadership of co-captains Mary Ann Scarlett and Dina Pinzino, they tied for Second in the Conference. Three girls were chosen All-Conference: Gail Strough, First team; Mary Ann Scarlett, Second team; and Jerrie Strough, Honorable Mention.



Row 2: Barb Bolton, Daria Thompson, Joyce Martin, Darla Lyles, Krista Kruse, Kris Fisher, Coach Lenora Miles. Row 1: Jan Norton, Joni O'Riley, Gail Weedin, Dana Hughes, Shawn Kruse, Carla Barr.





Row 3: Kris Fisher, Julie Lawrence, Linda Whitford, Chris Gomel, Eveta Adams, Mary Ann Scarlett, Melody Sinkhorn, Krista Kruse, Darla Thompson, Mary Hawkins, Coach Bonagurio. Row 2: J Smith, David Thompson, Ted Graves, Mark Fisher, Doug Miller, Jim Vogler. Row 1: Mark McCartney, Daun Thompson, Bently Umbarger, Kent Fisher, and Mark Smith.

Track Review

Track season is always an event looked forward to by many. Each person puts forth his own effort to make each meet the one in which that medal will be his. This year the track team was competitive as always and many old records were broken. Under the coaching of Steve Bonagurio, the teams competed at many important meets. Those breaking records were Christine Gomel in the shot put, Jerrie Strough in the 100 yard dash, Gail Strough in the softball throw, Eveta Adams in the triple jump. Boys breaking records were Daun Thompson in the 2-mile run and Ted Graves in the shot put and discus.

Three people were also eligible to go to state. They were Chris Gomel, shot put; Gail Strough, softball throw; and Ted Graves, shot put and discus. At state, Ted Graves took second in the shot put and third in the discus.







Busy! Busy! Busy!



Jim Ball



Ted Graves



Gail Strough



Jerrie Strough



Daun Thompson



Chris Gomel

Track Snaps



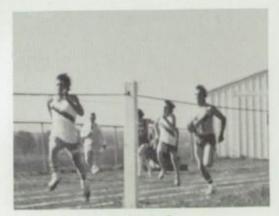
Doug Miller



Coach Bonagurio



Run Boys!



Injuries?

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Seniors "'77"



Ann DeRidder "Andy"
Being Senior sponsor has been a memorable experience.

Motto: "Do not follow where the path leads. Rather go where there is no path, and leave a trail."

Flower: Boys-Tulips Girls-Carnations

Colors: Burgundy and Pink

Song: "Time in a Bottle"

By Jim Croce

Officers

President-Robert Bowness Vice President-Dina Pinzino Secretary-Joyce Graves Treasurer-Greg Lawrence



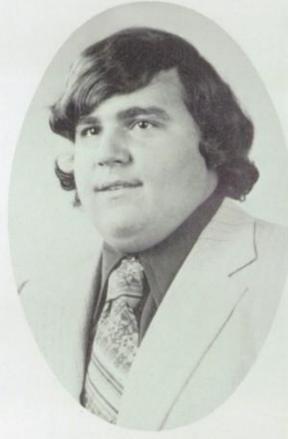
Robert Cotter—"Welcome Back" I would like to thank the Seniors for their help and cooperation this year. They have made this a rewarding experience for me.

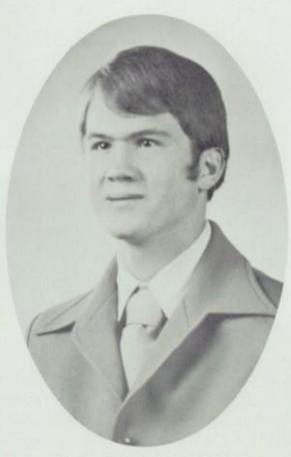


Eveta Francis Adams—Drives a mean chevy . . always gets a call at 9:27 . . Oh, Gah!! . . Future Vet . . N.W.M.S.U. Bound . . Carries a mean whip







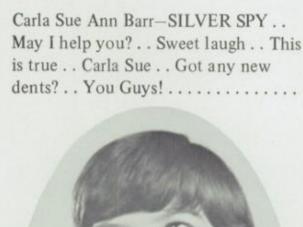


James Richard Ball-BOUNCING 8 BALL . . Capt. Stubby . . Hero on the gridiron . . Very Calm . . Pres. Jimmy .. M.U. Bound

Robert Alan Bowness-WOBBIES IN TROUBLE . . One of the Foghat fans

.. Kruse's carpool buddy . . X-Bench-

warmer . . N.W.M.S.U. Bound . . Fu-







Chris Edward Bradfield-THE RAT TRAP . . GOOFY . . Hey Goof where's your new pick-up? . . X-Benchwarmer . . Fairfax Don Juan . . Likes Tarkio



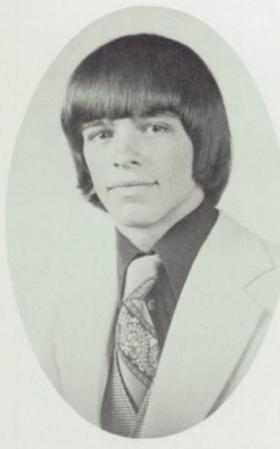
Randall Lee Beck-SLOW POKE . . 4 flat tires . . Whipped . . Goes west of town frequently . . One of the three stooges . . N.W.M.S.U. Bound . . Makes a call at 9:27.....



Donnie Eugene Brandt-Small but mighty? . . One of the Foghat fans . . HEY DO ME A FAVOR . . Drives a mean Monte Carlo . . Doughnuts







Mark Raymond Fisher—FISH.. All around athlete.. Tom's buddy.. Do you know what I heard?.. Come On .. The Shepherd.. N.W.M.S.U. Bound

William Earl Gamache—ACE.. Hair.. Julie's steady.. Richard's buddy.. One of the three stooges.. I didn't do it.. What kinda car do you have now, Bill?.....

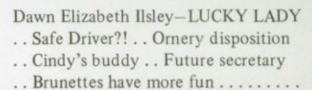


Woman . . Look at all those medals . . CHRISTA KID . . Ford pickups will travel . . Huh? . . N.W.M.S.U. Bound . .

Willa Christine Gomel-WILLA . . Evil



Paula Ann Hubbard—Sally's twin..
Who is it this week?.. Hot silver Chevy
.. Travels to Tarkio (regularly).. Get
off my back!.. POOLA......





Joyce Elaine Graves—POP BOTTLE.. Likes river rats (Craig).. Fast typer.. OLD MAG.. Cheerleader.. Vickie's buddy.. N.W.M.S.U. Bound......





Terry Joe Kemerling-HOPSING . . Pick-up painted yet? . . Likes dentist's daughters . . Future Mechanic . . Univ.

Thomas Richard Kruse-SUPER FROG .. Ribbit, Ribbit .. Jack Jr. . One of the Foghat fans (also Aero and Kiss) .. Rob's carpool buddy .. Mark's bud-



James Gregory Lawrence-Boy he's smart . . DeAnna's future hubby . . Unknown basketball player . . Plays a mean Tuba . . CHIEFIE WEEFIE . .



Peggy Sue McMullen-PEG LEG . . Peg . . Tory's buddy . . Engaged . . Travels to R.P.. Drives a mean Black Ford . . Been attacked by any dogs lately? . .

Cindy Sue Moses-RODNEY'S HELP-ER . . Cindy Sue . . Good Speaker . .







Vicky Lynn O'Riley—"Red Bomber"
.. Joyce's Buddy .. Physical Therapist .. N.W.M.S.U. Bound .. "Wellll!"

Richard Scott Payton—"Huggy Bear"
.. one of the three stooges .. where's the 51? .. What an Athlete .. Jerrie's man .. Bill's Buddy



Roger Lynn Pennel—"55 Chevy"..

PENZOIL.. Helpful smile in every aisle.. "Gonna get a place of my own and settle down"......



Kent Alan Ray—"J.D. Kid".. "Hoss".. Vo. Tech Whizz.. Future clod hopper.. It'll be allright.....

Sally Ann Sahlin—"Buckshot".. Sally G.. Paula's Twin.. Has a mean temper!.. Future artist "abominable woman".. Jim's Sally—G......



Dina Bernadette Pinziono—"Hot Dog"
. . Pete's Buddy . . Round Baller . .
F.B. Queen . . M.W.S.C. Bound . .
Future R.N. (Reg Nut)



Mary Ann Scarlett—"Pete"..Dina's buddy..Round Baller..W.J.C.
Bound..Talks a lot but doesn't say much..Hey, Mable Roll me one....





Robert Harvey Schooler—Future who knows?.. Tape player loud enough?.. Greetings Gate.. Lets palpatate...





Russell DeWayne Stark—Travels south a lot.. Who is she, Russell?.. Drives a mean white Chevy.. Future mechanic.. Likes to ride Motorcycles.....



DeAnna Lynn Thompson—Engaged . . Whistles funny . . Greg's Leading Lady . . Old Brown's Pilot . . "Oh Greg" . . Joyce's Buddy . . Plays a mean clarinet



Hurry up!!!!



Busy Working???



"These boots were made for walking!!"



Sweep 'em up!!!



I kid you not!!!



Calm yourself, Randy!!



Maryville Speech Contest



My Buddy!!!

Sock it to me!!!



Halloween Heyday!

The natives are restless!



I'm bushed!!

Hang in there, Baby!!!







Senior Breakfast

On the morning of May 18, the women of the Christian Church entertained the seniors and Mr. Kottman at a breakfast in their honor. Speakers were members of the 1976 class: Ed Dearmont, Rhonda Johnson, Mark Smith, Rosalie Graves, and Gregg Smith. They gave interesting talks about the colleges they attend.

The delicious meal consisted of rolls, donuts, fruit cup, and milk. After the breakfast, the seniors attended the awards assembly.













Seasons of the Past

On a day in September 1964, 20 children entered Mrs. John O'Riley's kindergarten class. The students were: Curtis Hedrick, Tory McKenzie, Mary Ann Scarlett, Joyce Graves, Rob Bowness, Roger Pennel, Mark Fisher, Dawn Ilsley, Terry Kemerling, Bobby Schooler, Paula Hubbard, Jeff Stewart, Kent Ray, Richard Payton, Vicky Smith, Mike Umbarger, Danelle Loveland, Cindy Moses, Pam Money, and Linda Edwards. We lost Jeff Stewart, Vicky Smith, Danelle Loveland and Pam Money. The excitement this year was the fire drills.

During the first grade newcomers were: Donna Allison, Ronald Baker, Jim Ball, Allen Brown, Donnie Brandt, Rhonda Crawford, Christine Gomel, Clifford Hardcastle, Jeffery Herndon, Gene Kirkpatrick, Robin Miller, Vicky O'Riley, Kenneth Rapier, Victoria Tackitt, Larry Volmer, Eveta Adams, Donna Price, Rita Price, Edward Hale, Gary Sparks, Dina Pinzino, and Cathy Taylor. We lost: Mark Fisher, Victoria Tackitt, Larry Volmer, and Linda Edwards. Our teacher was Miss Grace Finch. To start off the year Jim Ball kissed Beri Wennihan, Mike Umbarger and Bob Schooler were the Casanovas of the class. This year we got to eat in the new cafeteria and had an epidemic of measles.

Our second year in grade school was spent in Mrs. Gene Thomson's class. Mrs. Donna Portis was our student teacher. We gained Mary Hale, Dora Jean O'Riley, Russell Stark, Michael Bowers, and DeAnna Thompson. We lost Robin Miller, Dora Jean O'Riley, Rhonda Crawford, Donna and Rita Price, Clifford Hardcastle, Gene Kirkpatrick, and Cathy Taylor. The big thing this year was wearing "go-go" boots and playing in the tree in the playground.

In third grade we learned to write. The newcomers were: Raymond Jenkins, James Ulmer, Tom Kruse, Tommy Henry, Barry Kirkpatrick, Mark Fisher, and Greg Lawrence. We said goodbye to Michael Bowers, Jeff Herndon, and Tom Henry. Tom Kruse broke his collar bone. Christine, DeAnna, Vicky, and Joyce thought they were beauty queens and wore crowns to lunch. Mrs. Eva Cofer, our teacher, made them take them off. Also this year everyone played in pairs.

In the fourth grade we gained: Debbie Wiley. We lost Allen Brown, Ed and Mary Hale, Barry Kirkpatrick, Raymond Jenkins, and Mike Umbarger. We had a gerbil. Our student teacher was Miss Claudia Crumb. Our teacher was Mrs. Eula Fraser. We played tonettes, and dare base was our recess game.

Our fifth grade year was spent in Mrs. Mildred Stouffer's room. We gained Alice Taylor, and Mike Umbarger. We lost Ronald Baker. Our student teacher was Mrs. Phil Close. We dissected a frog. We began to play band instruments.

In sixth grade we gained Raymond Horning, Cathy Olsen, Jim Paris, Sally Sahlin, Carey Granser, and Ronald Baker. We lost Debbie Wiley, and Rick Peters. This year was memorable for the rash of letters DeAnna received. Our student teacher was Mrs. Carolyn Pyeatt. Our teacher was Mrs. Lucy Massie. This year we cleaned up the football field. One of the highlights of the year was when Kent Ray drew a mustache on hs face and had to display it before the class.

We started the seventh grade sadly when Cindy Moses fell off a bridge. This year we moved to the high school building. The additions were: Rita Price, Randy Beck, Larry Olsen, Ken Vanderboom, and Kenny Davis. Losses were: Alice Taylor, Barry Kirkpatrick, and Sally Sahlin. This year Jim Ball sat on a pencil and had to be taken to the hospital. Our sponsor was Mr. Tony Wilcoxin. 76 For our class trip we went to Waubonsie.

Our eighth grade year, new faces we met were: Carla Barr, Rick Harvey, Jim Nicholson, Sally Sahlin, Gary Freeman, Terry Younger, and Tony Montano. We lost Clifford Hardcastle, Barry Kirkpatrick, Cathy and Larry Olsen, Curtis Hedrick, Rick Harvey, Ken Vanderboom, Terry Younger, Gary Freeman, Tony Montano, and Kenny Davis. This year we will remember for the seventh graders' class party to Waubonsie. Our class party was roller skating at Shenandoah. The boys' junior high basketball team had a very successful season. Roger and Jim had a fight over Veronica L.

In 1973 we moved up to lower class freshmen. Our sponsor was Mr. Jack Collins. This year we gained and lost Denny and Danny Lighty, and Barry Kirkpatrick, As freshmen we attended county government day at Rock Port. We were initiated into FFA and FHA. The girls dressed up as chimney sweeps and the boys were Mary Poppins. For our class party we went to Tom Kruse's house. This was also the year that the boys' basketball team with several freshmen members went to state.

Our sophomore year we obtained our class keys and drivers' licenses. We had one new member, Tammy Haward. During the year we lost Tammy Hayward, and Mike Umbarger. Ronald Baker broke a leg in football. Mr. Pyeatt was our sponsor. The girls' basketball team went to state and some of our classmates were on the team.

The eleventh grade was a busy year. We got our class rings; Junior stand served at basketball games. Our all school play was "The Many Loves of Dobie Gillis" with Tom Kruse in the leading role. Our prom theme was "We May Never Pass This Way Again". During the year we gained Peggy McMullen. We lost Raymond Horning, and Jim Paris. Our sponsors were Mrs. Sharon Clark and Mr. Jim Holtz. Vicky O'Riley attended Freedom Forum and Mark Fisher went to boys' state.

Our senior year we will remember with gladness and pain. We had a very successful football season but it was marred with injuries. Jim Ball suffered the worst accident when he cut off parts of four fingers. During the year we welcomed Patty Stark and Russell Stark. Dina Pinzino and Richard Payton reigned over football homecoming. Mary Ann Scarlett and Mark Fisher were basketball royalty. Eveta Adams was Chapter Sweetheart, and Robbie Bowness was Favorite Fellow. Carla Barr and Ronald Baker were Prom Queen and King. The All School Play was "Adrift in New York". We are working on our annual "Seasons". Our sponsors are Mrs. Ann DeRidder and Mr. Bob Cotter. To raise money we ran the Senior Stand during the invitational tournament. On May 10 we are leaving for Temple Resort in the Ozarks. We are looking forward to the alumni banquet and Graduation Day . . . May 15, 1977.





Achievements in Every Season

Eveta Adams—B. Ball 1,2,3,4*; B. Ball Queen Cand. 4; Track 1*,2*,3*,4*; Blue Jay Relay Cand. 4; Chorus 3,4; Dist. Music Cont. 3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; FHA 8,4; Chapter Sweetheart FFA 4; Typing Award 3,4; Librarian 1,2,3,4; All School Play 4; Class Officer 3; Annual Staff Assist. Photographer; NWMSU Regents'; Who's Who 3; two poetry Awards; Honor Student.

Ronald Baker—F. Ball 1,2,*; FFA 1,2, 3,4*; B. Ball Mgr. 2; Track 1,2; Band 1, 2,4*; Pep Band 1,2,4; Marching Band 1,2; Stage Band 1,2,4; Chorus 1,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3,4; State 1,4; FHA 3; Typing Award 2; Librarian 1; Class Officer 1; Stu Council 4; Vo-Tech. 3; Annual Staff Assist. Editor 4; Prom King 4.

Jim Ball—F. Ball 1,2*, 3*, 4*; B. Ball 2, 2,3*; Track 1*,2*,3*,4*; State Track Meet 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2, 3,4; Stage Band 1,2,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; State Mu. Cont. 4; FFA 1,2,3,4*; Dist. Judg. Cont. 3,4; Area Farmer 3; State Farmer 3; Area Speaker 4; Corn Yield 1,2, 3,4; Typing Award 3; Librarian 1,2,3; All School Play 3,4; Stu. Council 3*; Stu. Body Pres. 4; Annual Staff Assist. Photographer; Drama Award 4.

Carla Barr—F. Ball Mascot 2; B. Ball 1; Track 1; Chorus 1,2,4; Swing Choir 1, 2,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4*; FHA 1,2*,3*,4*; Reg. Officer 3; Typing Award 2,3; Librarian 1; All School Play 3,4; Vo-Tech. 3; Prom Queen 4; Annual Staff Academics Ed. 4.

Randy Beck—F. Ball 1,2*,3*,4*; F. Ball King Cand. 4; Chorus 3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 3,4; FHA 3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4; Typing Award 2; Librarian 1; All School Play 3,4; Annual Staff.

Rob Bowness—B. Ball 1,2,3,4*; B. Ball King Cand. 4; Band 1,2,3,4*; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3,4; State Mu. Cont. 2; Chorus 3; Swing Choir 2; FFA 1,2,3,4; FHA Favorite Fellow 4; Soil Cons. 3; Ag. Livestock Prod. 3; Typing Award 3; All School Play 3,4; Annual Staff Circulation Mrg. 4; Drama Award 4;

Chris Bradfield—F. Ball 1,2,3*,4*; F. Ball King Cand. 4; B. Ball 1,2,3,4*; Track 1,2*,3*,4*; Chorus 3,4; FHA 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff 4; Outstanding Athlete Award Runner Up 4.

Donnie Brandt-F. Ball Mgr. 1; FFA 1,2,3,4*; Corn Yield Cont. 2,3,4; Electrician Award 2; Crop Prod. 3; Vo-Tech 3; Vica 3; Annual Staff 4.

Mark Fisher—F. Ball 1*,2*,3*,4*; All Conf. Hon. Mention 8; All Conf. 4; Co-Capt. 4; B. Ball 1*,2*,3*,4*; All Conf. First Team B. Ball 3,4; Co-Capt. 4; B. Ball King Cand. 3; B. Ball Homecoming King 4; Track 1*,2*,3*,4*; Band 1,3*; Marching Band 1,2,3; Pep Band 1,3; Concert Band 1,2,3; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1, 2,3; FFA 1,3; Typing Award 2,3; Class Officer 1; Stu. Council 3; Annual Staff 4; Boys' State 3; Outstanding Athlete 4; DAR Award 4.

Bill Gamache—F. Ball 2,3*,4*; F. Ball King Cand. 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3; State Mu. Cont. 2; FFA 1,2,3,4; FHA 3,4; Typing Award 2; Annual Staff 4.

Christine Gomel—F. Ball Mascot 1; B. Ball 4*; Track 1*,2*,3*,4*; State Track Meet 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Marching Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 2; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3*,4*; Typing Award 3; Librarian 1,2,3; All School Play 3,4; Annual Staff 4; Outstanding Teenager 3.

Joyce Graves—F. Ball Queen Cand. 2; Track 1,3; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Pop Choir 4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3,4; State Mu. Cont. 2,4; Math Olympiad 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4*; Cheerleader 4; FHA 1,2,3*,4*; Reg. Officer 3; Typing Award 2,3; Librarian 1; All School Play 3,4; Class officer 1,3,4; Honor Student; Who's Who 3,4; Annual Staff Business Mgr. 4; Distinguished HS Student 3,4; NWMSU Regent's Scholarship; I Dare You Award 4; Outstanding FHA'er 4; Outstanding Senior Homemaker Award 4.

Paula Hubbard—Chorus 1,2,3,4; Dist. Mu Cont. 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 3,4; All School Play 4; Annual Staff 4.

Dawn Ilsley—F. Ball Queen Cand. 3,4; Chorus 1,3,4; Dist. Mu. Contest 1,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3*,4; Typing Award 4; Librarian 1,2; Class Officer 3; All School Play 3; Annual Staff; Who's Who 3; Honor Student 4. Terry Kemerling—Track 1,2,3; Chorus 3; Dist. Mu. Cont. 3; FFA 1,2,3,4; Ag. Mechanics Award 3; Librarian 1; All School Play 3,4; Vo-Tech 4.

Tom Kruse—F. Ball 1,2; B. Ball 3,4*; Band 1,2,3,4*; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3,4; State Mu. Cont. 2; Math Olympiad 2,3,4; FFA 1,2,3,4*; Soil Judging Cont. 3,4; Soil and Water Management Award; All School Play 3,4; Dramatic Award 3; Student Council 1; Annual Staff Photographer 4; Honor Student 4.

Greg Lawrence—F. Ball 1,2*,3*,4*; B. Ball 1,2,3*,4*; Co-Capt. 4; Band 1,2, 3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3,4; State Mu. Cont. 2; Math Olympiad 2,3,4; Math Award 2,3; Typing Award 2,3; Class Officer 4; Annual Staff Editorin-Chief; Boys' State Alternate; Mo. Curator Scholarship; I Dare You Award 4; Honor Student 4.

Tory McKenzie—Chorus 1,3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; FHA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 2; Annual Staff Assist. Business Mgr. 4.

Peggy McMullen—Chorus 3,4; Pop Choir 4; Dist Mu. Cont. 3,4; FHA 1,2, 3; Annual Staff 4.

Cindy Moses—B. Ball 1; Chorus 3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,3,4; Typing Award 3; Librarian 1,2,3,4; All School Play 3,4; Annual Staff 4.

Vicky O'Riley-F. Ball Queen Cand. 1; B. Ball 1*,2*,3*,4*; B. Ball Queen Cand. 4; Track 1*,2,3*; Chorus 1,3,4; Swing Choir 2,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2,3, 4; Math Olympiad 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3, 4; Cheerleader 2; FHA 1,2,3,4*; Typing award 3,4; All School Play 3,4; Annual Staff; Betty Crocker Award 4; Outstanding Teenager; Freedom Forum 3; NWMSU Regents' Scholarship; Honor Student; DAR Award.

Rich Payton—F. Ball 1*,2*,3*,4*; F. Ball King 4; B. Ball 1*,2*; FFA 1,2,4*; FHA 3,4; Track 1*; Band 4; Pep Band 4; Chorus 3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 3; Student Council 1; Class Officer 1; Typing Award 3; Annual Staff 4.

Roger Pennel—F. Ball 1*,2*,3*,4*; F. Ball King Cand. 4; B. Ball 3; Band 1,2,

3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2, 3,4; Chorus 2,3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2, 3,4; St. Mu. Cont. 2; FHA 3; FFA 1,2, 3,4*; Livestock Production Award 3; Star Chapter Farmer 4; Livestock Judging 3,4; All School play 3; Class Officer 2; Student Council 1; Annual Staff 4.

Dina Pinzino—F. Ball Queen 4; B. Ball 1,2*,3*,4*; B. Ball Co-Capt. 4; Track 1,2*,3*,4*; State Track Meet 3; Chorus 3,4; Swing Choir 4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 3, 4; Math Olympiad 3; Pep Club 2,3,4*; FHA 1,2,3,4*; Librarian 1,2; All School Play 4; Student Council 3; Annual Staff Classes Editor; MWSC Honor Scholarship; Outstanding FHA'er;

Kent Ray-FFA 1,2,3,4; Star Greenhand 1; Corn Yield Cont. 1,2,4; Crop

Prod. 2; Star Chapter Farmer 3; State Farmer 4; Vo Tech 3,4; Vica 3,4; Livestock Judging 3,4; Annual Staff 4.

Sally Sahlin—Band 2; Pep Band 2; Marching Band 2; Chorus 1,2; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,2,3,4; Librarian 3; All School Play 3,4; Annual Staff 4.

Mary Ann Scarlett—B. Ball 1*,2*,3*, 4*; Co-Capt. 4; B. Ball Queen Cand. 3; B. Ball Queen 4; Track 1*,2*,3*, 4*; State Track Meet 2,3; Band 1,3,4; Marching Band 1,3,4; Concert Band 1, 3,4; Chorus 1,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,3,4; State Mu. Contest 3, 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4*; FHA 1,2,3,4*; Typing Award 3; Librarian 1,2; All School Play 3,4; Class Officer 2; Student Council 2,4; Annual Staff-Assist. Circulation Mrg. 4.

Bob Schooler—Band 1,2; Pep Band 1, 2; Concert Band 1,2; Stage Band 1,2; FFA 1,2,3,4; Vo Tech 3,4; Vica 3,4; VICA Cont. 3; Annual Staff 4.

Patty Stark—Mixed Chorus 2,3; Dist. Mu. Cont. 2,3; FHA 1; Pep Club 3; Art Club 3;

DeAnna Thompson—Band 1,2,3,4; Concert Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3, 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4; Dist. Mu. Cont. 1,2, 3,4; State Mu. Cont. 1,2,3; Cheerleader 1,2,3; Majorette 2,3; Pep Club 1,2,3; FHA 1,2,3*,4*; Typing Award 2,3; Annual Staff Activities 4; Who's Who 3, 4. Swing Choir 4.



Class Officers

President-Rob Bowness

Vice-President-Diana Pinzino

Secretary-Joyce Graves

Treasurer-Greg Lawrence



Senior Expedition



Finally, after two years of Junior stand, Senior stand, work days, and ticket selling we earned enough money to embark on our much anticipated Senior trip.

At 4:00 A.M., May 10, 1977, twenty-eight Seniors and their sponsors left on their Senior trip. After a brief stop in Jefferson City for a tour of the Capitol, we arrived at Temple Resort about 1:00.

After we got things under control in our rooms, we became acquainted with the resort, swan, walked down the beach, and entertained ourselves in the recreation center. After supper, we all had fun playing miniature golf and riding bumper cars and gokarts.

Wednesday morning, we were all fascinated by the beauty of the Ozark Caverns. In the afternoon, everyone went out on boats, and many water-skied.

Everyone had a great time at the Ozark Opry, and will never forget Mary Ann's stage performance.

Thursday we looked for souvenirs and went on the rides again. That evening we all enjoyed dancing on the Larry Don cruise.

Friday morning, bright and early, we left for Silver Dollar City for a day of fun. We arrived in Fairfax about 11:00, after a week of fun and memories we will never forget.

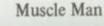
We would like to thank our sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Cotter and Mrs. DeRidder, for making our Senior trip memorable.



What a ride!!!

Sleeping Beauties







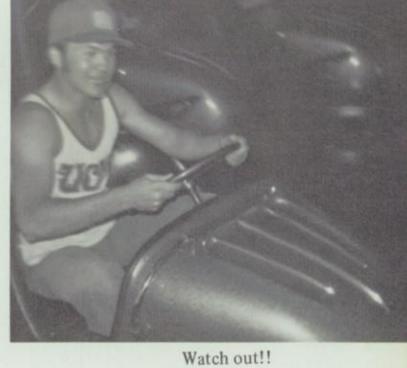




Monkeying around



Better luck next time.





Loafing in the racks



Ozark Opry



Here we come!!



What a pretty sight! Capitol at J.C.



What a day!!!





Commencement



Valedictorian Greg Lawrence



Speaker The Rev. Rick Gressman



Salutatorian Joyce Graves

Eighth Grade Graduates

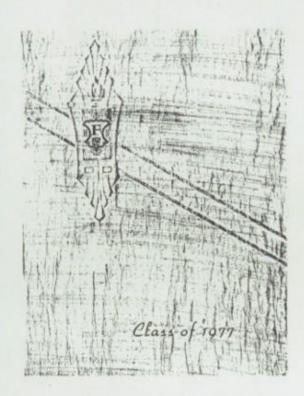




Junior Escorts Nancy Johnson, Mike Moses



Receiving the Class Flower



Graduation day is near,

"Can't wait" are the words I hear,
College life will be so fun
Soon as high school days are done.
But on each face there is a look.
We hate to turn in that one last book.
Where will all my old friends be?
The ones that have been so good to me.
Time will take them far away,
Fate will have the final say.
Broken hearts and childish schemes
Will seem more like forgotten dreams
When spring has long since passed away,
When today becomes our yesterday.

David Mayer St. Joseph, Mo. The Senior Class

of

Duirfux High School

announces its

Baccalaurente - Commencement

Sunday afternoon, the fifteenth of May

Nineteen hundred seventy-seven

at two Sclock

High School Auditorium



Song "Time in a bottle"

Alumni Banquet



We thought that after a fun week of senior trip we'd get off easy but instead some of us decided to become alumni. On Saturday, May 14, approximately twenty-five seniors dressed in the "Happy Days" mode in order to be initiated into the Fairfax Alumni Association. After sweeping the streets, running the paddle line, and carrying raw hamburger all week, we were treated to a nice supper on Friday, May 20. The only thing wrong with the meal was that they neglected to let us have any eating utensils. After everyone had finished eating, the alumni to be put on a program that was enjoyed by all, including the performers. Immediately following the program came the highlight of the banquet for everyone except those being initiated. After waiting in agony for our names to be called we were initiated one by one. We discovered that the terrible things we imagined were going to happen were just our imagination and we are proud to belong to the Fairfax Alumni Association.







' Future Beauticians?



Did someone whistle?



Belly dancers?



Sweep those streets!



Now get the other side.



Phil Phillips and the Twilights.



Connie Dee.



Elvis!!!

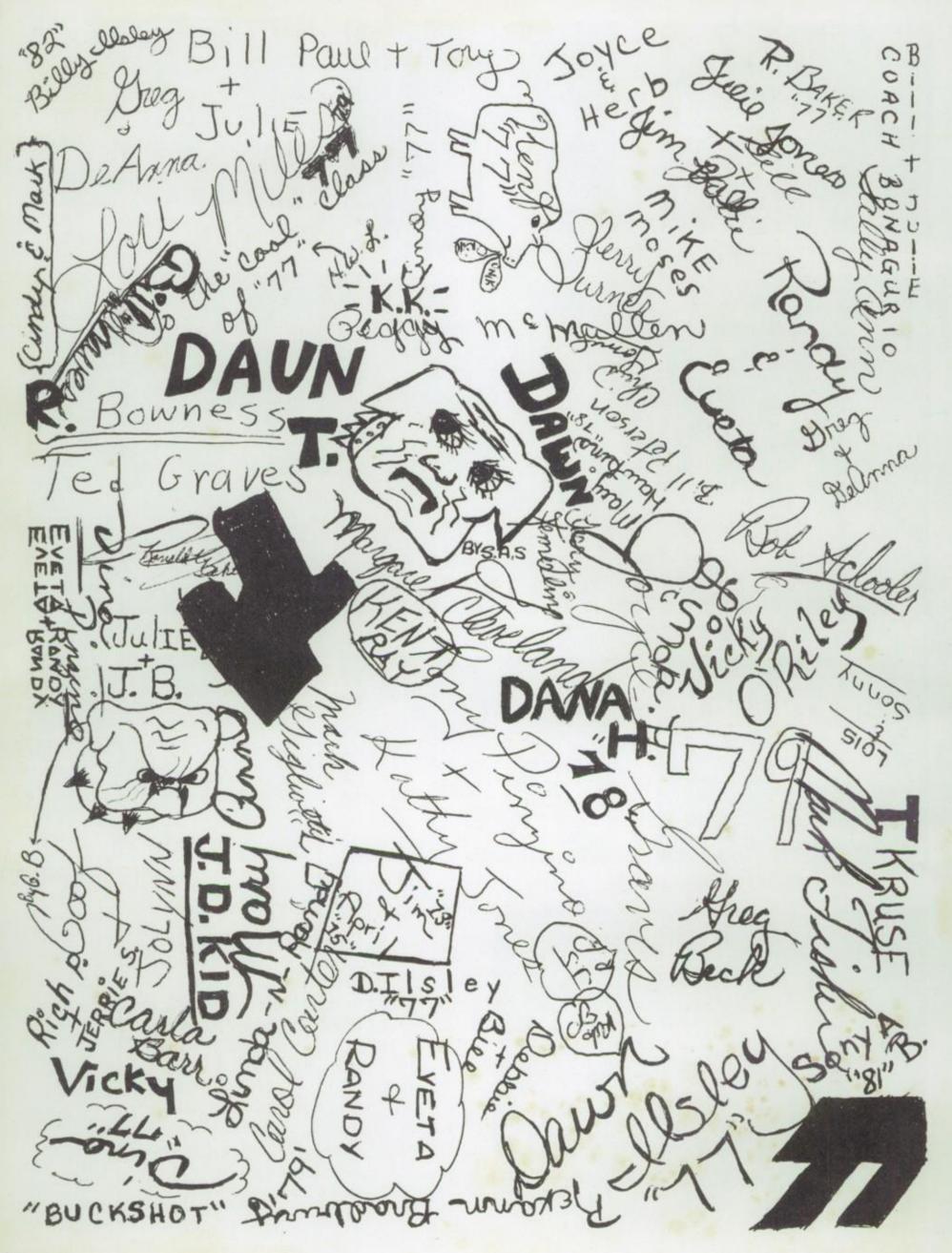


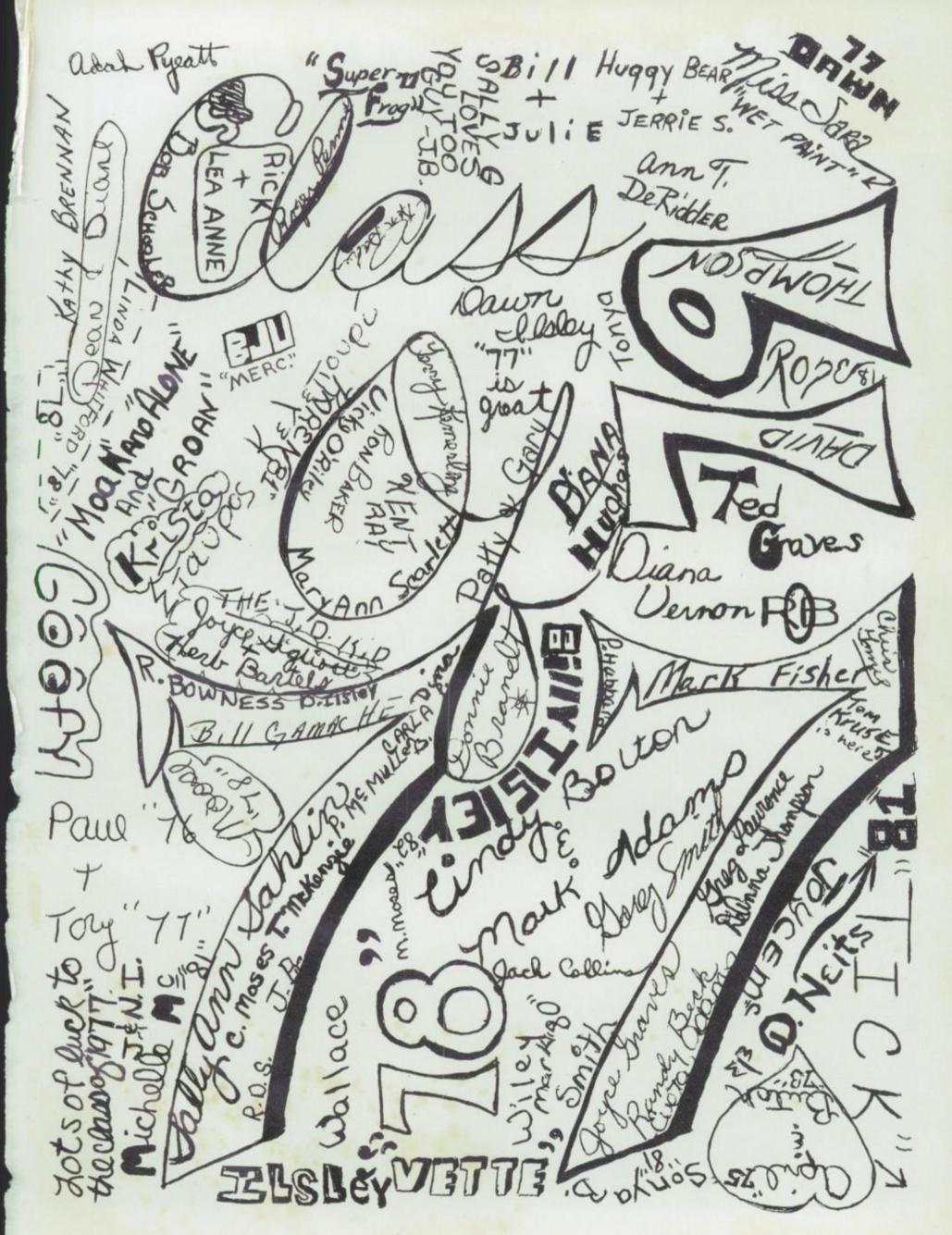
Hey! Sit on it!

Sunday, Monday, Happy Days! Tuesday, Wednesday, Happy Days! Thursday, Friday, Happy Days! Saturday! What a day! Rollin' all week with you!

HEY, SIT ON IT!

Sunday, Monday, Happy Days!
Tuesday, Wednesday, Happy Days!
Thursday, Friday, Happy Days!
Saturday! What a day!
Rollin' all week with you!
THESE ARE HAPPY DAYS!!!





"To Every Thing There Is a Season"

"To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under heaven:

A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant and a time to pluck up that which is planted;

A time to kill, and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up;

A time to weep, and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance;

A time to cast away stones, and a time to gather stones together; a time to embrace and a time to refrain from embracing;

A time to get, and a time to lose; a time to keep, and a time to cast away;

A time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak;

A time to love, and a time to hate; a time of war, and a time of peace . . .

He hath made everything beautiful in his time: "

- Ecclesiastes 3:1-11







